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# Portfolio

# £22,000 to be won

today's Times Portfolio competition - the weekly £20,000 and the daily £2,000. Mr Michael Foster, a civil servant who lives in Copthorne, West Sussex, was the outright winner of yester-day's £2,000.

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# **US** recruits **Beirut** gunmen

Inited States diplomats in Beirut have recruited Druze and Shia Muslim gunmen to guard their new Embassy offices, as the Marines complete their withdrawal from Lebanon. Marines and the US Navy fought the Druze and Shia Muslim militias last autumn Page 4

#### Britain acts to calm markets

British National Oil Corporation - possibly on government orders - tried to calm financial and oil markets riddled by rumours of Opec's break-up weakening of prices. It said it is close to agreement with suppliers and customers keeping its market price unchanged Page 21

## Cudlipp returns

Mr Robert Maxwell, publisher Mirror Newspapers, has appointed as his consultant Lord Cudlipp, who was group chairman from 1963 to 1968 it was announced that Mr Douglas Long deputy chairman, left the company deputy

#### Mason funeral

The funeral of James Mason. the actor who died in hospital in Lausanne after a heart attack, will be held on Tuesday Back page

## **US** warning

Mr Caspar Weinberger. US Defence Secretary, ruled out Vienna talks with the Russians discussions to space weapons

### Soviet attack

blistering attack on West Germany, in a clear attempt to torpedo the visit to Bonn in Honecker, the East German

### **Jaguar shares**

Jaguar Cars shares sale at 165p a share for which applications have to be in next Friday is expected to be oversubscribed Family Money, page 25

# Travel safeguard

After the collapse of Laker Airways, the Government has agreed to strengthen safeguards for air package holidaymakers whose tour company fails Page 3

# Spy claim study

A memorandum claiming that up to 300 Soviet spies operated in Britain is being studied by Sir Anthony Kershaw, MP, chairman of the Commons Select Committee on Foreign

# Jacobs bows out

David Jacobs, the broadcaster. last night chaired BBC Radio's ... Iny Questions for the last time after presenting the programme for nearly 17 years

### Island myths

Islanders say it was Greek sea captains rather than British soldiers who looted and burn houses on Kastellorizo during the Second World War Page 5

## Action replay

Gordon Greenidge followed up his double century at Lord's with another at Old Trafford as the West Indies amassed 500 in the fourth Test Page 28

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Manpower planning for engineers, the Olympics; the national

Letters: On bishops' appointments, from the Bishop of Oxford, and others; Ethiopia. from Rev R. Arguile, and Lord Hunt of Tanworth; museum charges, from Mr J. H. Morley

Obituary, page 10 Mr Philip Matthews Calls to the Bar, page 25

Parliement Religion Science

# Westminster fury at Europe's budget challenge

From Ian Murray in Brussels and Julian Haviland

esterday threw down a dangerous challenge to Britain over the

hang on to the long overdue £457m rebate Britain has been promised for over a year in return for its excessive contributions to the Community in

The Parliament now says the money will only be handed over once there is agreement to a supplementary Community budget for 1984, which Britain alone insists is both unnecessary and illegal.

Mr Malcolm Rifkind, Minister of State at the Foreign Office, called the action "contemptible". Mr Geoffrey Rip-pon, the Conservative MP who led the negotiations for British entry to the Community, said the Parliament's "pig-headed and foolish action" would be deplored by every true Euro-

A Foreign Office statement made it perfectly clear that the vote had not changed Britain's stance. It said: "There is no justification for the new Parliament attempting to impose further conditions for payment of the retund. The Parliament alone is standing in the way of payment. We expect the refunds to be paid.

Only the British present voted against as the Parliament refused to release the money it has been holding hostage since

Community. It originally froze the pay-

year, until there was an end to the argument over the Community budget. This was achieved in outline at the Fontainebleau summit last month, when Britain was

granted a 66 per cent reduction in its net contributions against an undertaking to allow the How rebate stayed frozen

June 1983: EEC agrees rebate.

December: Strasbourg MEPs freeze rebate pending budget March 1984: Budget deadlock at Brussels summit. June: Fontainebleau budget deal.
July 12: Strasbourg committee

July 27: Parliament freezes it again.

legal ceiling on the Community's income to be raised. As far as a supplementary budget for 1984 is concerned the Foreign Office insists that further detailed work needs to be done to identify savings and deterrals of payments. A solution to the common problem needs to be compatible with the treaties and the resources In other words Britain still

rejects the need for legality of a supplementary budget.

Conservative MEPs said the vote put at risk the entire agreement at the Fontainebleau

summit. Lord Douro, the last December as a guarantee of Conservative budget spokes-Britains good behaviour in the man in the Parliament, said it was a "disgraceful decision" which made it impossible for ment, agreed by the European there to be either a supplemen-

The European Parliament summit in Stutgart in June last tary budget or an increase in the Community's income.

wholesale support of the Christian Democrats, ended also the two-day-old centreright alliance in the Parliament which had elected M Pierre Pflimlin as President against the sitting Socialist President, Mr Piet Dankert.

Mrs Barbara Castle, The Labour MEP, told the Parliament the House of Commons would now certainly refuse to acept an increase in the Community's resources.

Yesterday's vote came at the end of the first session of the newly-elected Parliament, during which the budget of the near-bankrupt Community had been the main topic. Britain had been condemned on all sides for refusing to lift its veto on the supplementary budget needed to cover an estimated shortfall of up to £1,200m this year.

Members complained that Britain was particularly selfish in view of the Fontainbleau agreement to cut its net The British view, argued by

Sir Geoffrey Howe during this week's foreign council meeting in Brussels, is that the House of Commons would never allow an increase in Community resources if a supplementary budget were agreed. He argued that if the Community was allowed to spend more than its could be no guarantee it would not do the same thing in the

Continued on back page, col 6

## Warning to cutback on water By Richard Evans

Mr Ian Gow, the Government's unofficial minister for drought vesterday made a nationwide appeal in the Commons for people to cut

back water consumption. With 21 million people nov affected by hosepipe bans after weeks of virtually no rain, he to accelerate the slow drift back jobs. "There is a grassroots ate prospect of an end to the support for the 20-week-old insisted. very dry spell."

Water shortages in Devon and Cornall, parts of Wales and in the north-west were now becoming "severe." he said. water than in the drought of July 1976. In the north-west there has been less rain in the first seven

months of this year than in any vear since records began in He urged people in the worst

hit areas to comply with restrictions in order to diminish the prospect of more severe restrictions later on Dr John Cunningham, the

shadow environment secretary, accused the Government of "massive complacency", and said it was doing too little, too late to help people. He criticized the lack of government policy and the halving of expenditure on water resources over the past two years.

Parliament, page 4

## Police fear more motorway chaos

West Country police yesterday urged caravan owners and drivers of heavy vehicles to obey no-overtaking signs in an attempt to prevent a repetition of last weekend's chaos on the motorways.

Tailbacks of 15 miles on all three lanes of the southbound carriageway of the M5 near Bristol were caused by heavy vehicles and caravan owners trying to overtake in the middle

and fast lanes on a long hill. Possible trouble spots for holiday traffic could be the contraflow system on the M5 at Stroud, near Gloucester, and

the A38 at Exeter.

# NCB to strengthen back-to-work drive

teturn to work, after scotching Mr MacGregor added, that hopes of early peace talks with evidence from area directors, the National Union of Mine-managers at individual pits, and

McGregor, chairman of the atrocious that a few militant NCB, of speculation that the bully boys should be causing so much damage to this industry soon. He has no plans to meet and the people in it." NUM leaders, he said on BBC Radio's World At One yesterday, and the union has no present intention of making the

Further moves, as yet undis-

quiet yesterday, with just a few isolated incidents (a staff

from the county's borders.

30 arrests were made.

Bilston Glen, nea Edinburgh, in March was fined £500 vesterday or a breach of the peace.

the NUM executive two days ago. "Some time next week we will review that situation", he process Natio

persuade striking miners to

closed, will be made next week to work in the coalfields where strike shows signs of weakening. This development follows a rebuttal vesterday, by Mr Ian

reporter writes).

sources are privately saying that the Government will sit out the dispute until next spring, rather than concede the NCB's

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

workers.

The coal board says that its plan for joint agreement on pit closures is still on the table, but Mr MacGregor gave a warning that it is about to be withdrawn

About 1,000 pickets broke through a police blockade at Bentinck colliery near Mansfield. Nottinghamshire, but 822 vehicles carrying an estimated 3.600 pickets were turned back

Pickets occupied National Coal Board workshops near South Shields, Tyne and Wear and chained the gates. Police cut them open to allow in those who wanted to work and abut

The first miner arrested at

would be no more concessions

The National Coal Board is managerial prerogative to rid to step up its campaign to the industry of uneconomic

capacity.

Mr MacGregor added, that his own postbag showed an "increasing under-ground" of miners wanting to resume their desire to get back to work", he

The biggest problem was with the "bully boy tactics" of a few, he went on. "I think it is

His charge was denied by Mr Peter Heathfield, general sec-retary of the NUM, who retorted: "That is rubbish. There is a determination among most of our members to defend the interests of their communities and their jobs."
The miners' leader also

rejected speculation about an early resumption of negotiations, saying: "Unless we remove from the negotiating table the board's determination to close 'uneconomic' pits, then we are in some difficulty.

We have been on strike over that issue for 20 weeks, and to return to the situation that prevailed on March 6 is not a proposition that is acceptable to the vast majority of our

Responding to a suggestion from the Employment Secretary, Mr Tom King, that if the NUM believed it had the support of its members it should prove it by going out to a ballot, Mr Heathfield added: "A ballot in the mining industry would provide for some men working at long-life pits a right of veto over those miners striking for jobs. I don't see a ballot in those circumstances as being part of the democratic

National officials of the He confirmed that there NUM yesterday met the TUC chairman, Mr Ray Buckton, to to union demands for a veto on colliery shutdowns, and top-level Conservative Party union's delegate conference on



# £306m go-ahead for **BR** electrification

By Michael Baily, Transport Editor

The National Union

Railwaymen also welcomed the

scheme as "a step forward; the end of a chapter."

Work on the scheme will start

Mr Reid described it as a

"It is essential that we

must stress how essential it is

that we avoid getting ourselves

problems and driving them into

Mr Reid said the coal strike

had already cost BR £100m at

about £5m a week and perma-

nent loss of about £1 m of freight

The main benefits of East

Coast electrification, were re-

duction of maintenance costs

for track and rolling stock of

about 60 per cent; reduction in

fuel costs of about 25 per cent; increased reliability of 50-70 per

cent; and quieter and cleaner

trains with new and more

comfortable rolling stock. The

new trains will not tilt, but will

be an advance of present Inter-

City 125 stock in quality of

seating, air-conditioning and

urged to stay indoors.
Two Soviet freighters have

been denied permission to enter

the Games get underway.
The State Department said

the cargo vessels had been

informed that they had to wait until July 30 for clearance for

national security reasons. It is

not related to the Olympics
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general environment

Libya withdraws team

on eve of Olympics

By Our Foreign Staff

In an apparently tit-for-tat with respiratory problems were

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the hands of our competitors."

British Rail had its biggest generated funds or borrowed the £306m electrification of the East Coast main line from London to Leeds and is a very good scheme to be first.

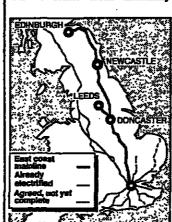
Edinburgh.
However, Mr Bob Reid, BR's and will give BR's customers a better service." not to jeopardize the project with disruptive action in support of the miners.

The long-awaited scheme

the biggest since West Coast electrification in the mid 1960s this year with completion to Huntingdon by 1987, Peterborough by 1988. Leeds by 1989 and Newcastle and Edinburgh in 1991. Both track - will cut journey time by up to 15 minutes and improve Routes which well benefit include Newcastle to Leeds and Bristol, Liverpool to Manand rolling stock will be put out

chester and Hull and Glasgow to Edinburgh and Aberdeen. "momentous" decision and a clear signal for the long-term The main benefit, however, is a saving of up to £60m a year in future of the railway industry in BR's operating costs as a result of the simpler, more flexible, and more economical electric

The scheme will yield a 7 per cent return and will be financed within BR's external finance limits, either from internally



move. Libya has pulled out of the Olympic Games, which

The Libyan news agency,

Jana, announced the with-

drawal yesterday after the US

bar three Libyan journalists

from entering the country to

Meanwhile weather fore-

work at the Games.

open in Los Angeles today.

# spy case cleared By Stewart Tendler

Crime Reporter

months in custody. Davies was accused of passing information on the international peace-keeping in Lebanon to an alleged latterday Mata Hari. At the time he was

Cypres. Davies, aged 21, was cleared of three charges under the Official Secrets Act by a jury

than six-and-a-half hours. The verdicts are believed to be the first acquittals in an espionage case since 1970.

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During the trial it was alleged that he passed details of three signals to Mrs Eva Continued on back page, col 1

working in a cor centre at RAF Episkopi, After a 15-day trial SAC

which deliberated for more

Last night, SAC Davies travelled to his family home in Aberdare, Mid Glamorgan, with his parents. His future in the RAF has not been decided and senior officers will conside other allegations of theft, which have not been dealt with.

The RAE signaller cleared at the Central Criminal Court yesterday of passing Nato secrets started a week's leave last night after nearly 10. Senior aircraftman Pani

we look at men

word

The first publication of

a D. H. Lawrence novel

Michael Phillips previews

King George VI and Queen Elizabeth stakes

Tim Heald studies polo's

pure pedigree and meets

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The sport

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Monday

Test of character John Woodcock on progress in the



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# casters predict damp, smoggy air for the opening day. Young people, the elderly and those 20 fires started by steam train

trail of destruction through two drought-affected counties during a trial run yesterday. The 1946 locomotive (left) started 20 heath and grass fires by the

A convoy of fire engines tried to stop the fires, sparked off by embers and coals from the engine. But they were no match for the train, which was travelling at 40mph from Swindon, Wiltshire, to Bristol and back via Chippenham. So county fire brigade chiefs Wiltshire and Avon plotted the route of the engine from the

999 calls received from people living beside the track, and had

From Our Correspondent, Bristol crew standing by at danger

The most serious blaze was at Keynsham, near Bristol, where 10 fire engines and more than 80 men were called to tackle a blaze in two cornfields

proves a success we still hope A fire brigade officer in

with it. If there had been a serious 999 call lives could bave been lost because our men were out chasing that train." A spokesman for British Rail said: "It's all very embarrassing. We're not used to operating steam trains these days - especially not in this weather. But if the trial run-

to start day excursions. Staff were wonde whether it was safe to let the train, which belongs to the Merchant Navy Railway Preservation Society, travel from Swindon to its base at the Buimers Railway Centre, in Hereford tiday.

## STC confident of bid victory despite setback

Cables is increasingly optimistic that its bid for control of ICL succeed despite the apparent

Sir Kenneth Corfield, chairmunications equipment manufacturer, said he was hopeful that ICL directors would accept the logic of a merger and that an agreed outcome would be

# side of the track.

covering 90 acres. Now British Rail fears that It may have to postpone day trips on the Pacific class "Clan Line" no. 35028 locomotive, at least until after the drought.

"We just couldn't keep

down the track.

Bristol said : "This train caused absolute chaos. Every time we put a fire out the train started another one further

# Standard Telephones and

Britain's largest independent computer manufacturer, will setback yesterday of another sharp fall in its share price (Jeremy Warner writes). man of STC, a leading telecom-

# Maternity leave law 'should be clearer'

Prompt action to draft clearer wording of the Law on maternity rights at work was called for by the Employment Appeal Tribunal yesterday.

To say that the present

wording was "formidably confused" was perhaps an understatement, Mr Justice Waite, president of the tribunal, said.

He joined other judges who have criticized the "legislative labyrinth" through which working mothers have to thread in trying to understand their return-to-work and maternity

pay rights.

The judge's remarks were made in a case in which the tribunal ruled that a working mother-to-be was entitled to full maternity leave pay, although her employers had stopped

operating during her leave.
The court dismissed an appeal by the Secretary of State for Employment, Mr Tom King, challenging a victory won at an industrial tribunal in Brighton by Mrs Jillian Cox, aged 25, of Loxwood House, Middle Road, Lancing, West Sussex, who conducted her own

The judge said legal proceed-ings had become necessary because of doubts left by the uncertain wording of the law. The Secretary of State for Employment was given leave to refer the case to the Court of

#### Verdict reserved in Uganda case

terday in the High Court in London in an action which three Asian Britons are seeking to compel Britain to seek compensation from Uganda for possessions they left behind when they were expelled in 1972.

The case, brought by Mr Kamrudin Pirbhai, aged 72, of Waltham Forest, Essex; Mr Vrajlal Vasant, aged 82, of South Harrow, Middlesex, and Mr Chinanbhai Amin, aged 70, of Bushey Heath, Hertfordshire, is regarded as a test case for 6,500 potential claimants who left behind property valued at

#### **Festival lost** £68,991

The Edinburgh Festival lost £68,991 last year despite being one of the "most artistically successful and stimulating in recent years," according to the annual report of the Edinburgh Festival Society, published

The report says that a continuing problem is persuading audiences to go to lesserknown works, even when performed by leading artists to critical acclaim.

## Ship withdrawn after repairs

The Royal Navy withdrew a 24-year-old minesweeper from service immediately after spending £100,000 on it. The Ministry of Defence said

the work on HMS Lewiston earlier this year was routine maintenance and not a refit.

## Minister elected

Mr Peter Walker, the Secretary of State for Energy has been elected president of the Conservative Action for Electorial Reform group. Mr Robin Squire, MP for Hornchurch was

### Welsh tremor

A strong earth tremor shook more than 30 miles of North Wales yesterday afternoon Buildings in Blaenau Ffestiniog. Porthmadog in Gwynedd and on Lleyn peninsular were shaken.

## 300 jobs to go

A Northern Ireland knitwear factory, Ulster Laces, of Porta-down, co Armagh, is to close with the loss of 300 jobs. It blamed cheap imports and a large fall off in demand for its jackets.

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# Defence depots urged to save £500m by reducing stocks

An all-party committee of did not include ammunition, MPs has urged the Ministry of food and liquid fuel, or stocks Defence to end excessive outside central depots. holding of stores for the Armed Forces, claiming that a onceand-for-all saving of up to £500m could be made.

The Public Accounts Committee says even small rebelieve total stockholding was
ductions in stock levels would too high, it accepted that in produce substantial savings. committee's report,

published yesterday, came the believe, however, that the day after a report severely general extent of over-stocking criticized security at Ministry of is likely to be much higher than Defence establishments. the Ministry of Defence ap-

The committee says the peared to accept."

pinistry's central stores depots Stock levels were related to ministry's central stores depots Stock levels were related to hold stocks worth £5,000m normal peace-time levels of Each year they issue stocks usage with a substantial margin worth more than £1,700m. This against possible emergencies.

overall reduction on holdings of £5,000m would produce once and-for-all savings of £250m to £500m on stores purchases, Stock levels represent about three years of normal peacewith further annual savings, the time use. In some cases this is as much as seven years.

report says.

"From our examination we were satisfied that even on the most pessimistic assumptions there is sufficient margin within present holdings to make savings feasible and thus to require urgent action by MoD to review the basis of their provisioning and related activi-

irty-third Report from the minitiee of Public Accounts: momy of Stores Support (Minis-of Defence, Cmrd. 411, tionery Office, £4.65). Thirty-third Committee

# Greenham fence could cost £1m

some areas it was excessive. The

committee comments: "We

A wide range of devices for detecting intruders is available if the Ministry of Defence accepts the recommendation of an all-party committee of MPs that the perimeter of high-risk installations, such as Green-ham Common, should be made

On Thursday the Commons Defence Committee published a report highly critical of security at many defence establish ments. It specifically recommended that 3.5m should be spent on strengthening the perimeter at Greenham, where

It is estimated that at least a quarter of the 128 amauthorized

GREENHAM: PRESENT PERIMETER SECURITY

By Our Defence Corresponden incursions into defence establishments in 1983 occurred at Greenham. Although the high security areas near the missile siles have very elaborate security arrangements, those round the nine-mile perimeter are fairly basic, consisting of a chain-link fence, barbed wire barriers, watch the time and floodlighting.

The committee recomended that the chain-link feace should be supplemented by weldmesh fencing, which is much more difficult to breach. A chain-link fence will start to unravel when

even one wire is cut, but in weldmesh fencing the strands THE TYPE OF SECURITY MPs WOULD LIKE

are thicker and every intersec

One possibility for Greenham mentioned by an industrial source was for a fence made of wire with a diameter of 4mm welded into a mesh 3in by ½in The committee estimated the cost of such a fence at £1m, or between £50 and £60 a yard.

The committee also recommended spending £2.5m on close-circuit television and other sensors, which could involve a combination of sys-

The more obvious possibilities are seismic sensors which pick up vibrations and can detect movement above and below ground, and infra-red or microwave barriers in which a beam or pulse from a transmitter to a receiver would be disrupted if anyone crossed it. All those sensors, as well as the close-circuit television. could be linked to a control console so that the entire perimeter could be monitored

 Mr Roland Boyes, Labour
MP for Houghton and Washington, who was on an official tour of Greenham in January, said yesterday that the missile silos were guarded with machine guns and high wire with penknife blades instead of the normal barb.

# Call for JPs to try jail crimes

By Peter Evans Home Affairs Correspondent

try serious offences in jails as powers.
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The magistrates should be

ation says in evidence to the part of a three-tier system, Departmental Committee on including hearings by the the Prison Disciplinary System,
In acting as impartial watchdogs in the prison system,
boards are compromised by
their adjudicatory role. Prisoners may be reluctant to make mission, but the magistrates' applications to the board and panels should be able to award have little faith in the outcome, up to 120 days for one offence given that their grievances are and not more than 240 days in being heard by the same body total for two or more.

# Theatre groups escape arts council cuts

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There will be fewer subsidized concerts in the Royal Festival Hall next year because of the Arts Council's confirmation yesterday that it will no loager fund several groups.

The council has agreed to certain exceptions in cuts outlined in its Glory in the Garden manfesto, published in

March.
It has agreed to back, local authority help, The Gateway Theatre Trust in Chester, the Harrogate (White Rose) Theatre Trust, The Wakefield Tricycle Company, London, Several other theatre com-panies, including the Horse-

shoe Theatre companies, including the Horseshoe Theatre Company in Basingstoke; M6, a Rochdale company, and Opera 80, are also to be helped. Other companies, including the left-wing 7:84 (England) company, may collapse without financial support.

The Arts Council made it clear yesterday that most companies in its manifesto would suffer the cuts as

The London Orchestral Concerts Board, which subsidizes the four London symphony orchestras, will lose £280,000.

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# Ban sought on demos

The Home Secretary is to be asked by Mr John Wheeler, Conservative MP for Westminster North, to consider banning or severely limiting demonstrations in central London, average five events a month in Westminster requiring the de-ployment of more than 100

police officers.

Mr Wheeler, who has led the campaign for firmer action against law-breaking diplomats said that he was startled to have been told by the Home Office that more than 100 events since the beginning of last year had

required this policing. "Historically the Queen's highway has been open for use by all, but small numbers of people are now usurping the right to exclusive use of the highway at the expense of

ordinary citizens."
Mr Wheeler said he had been invited to a meeting next week kith the City of Westminster Chamber of Commerce which is concerned by the damage done to the city's commercial life, by

'almost a demo a day." The list of events requiring heavy policies included royal occasions, such as the opening of Parliament and Trooping the Colour, and other official fixtures, such as the Lord Mayor's Show and the state visit of the President of Zambia. The world economic summit last month required special

police deployment But marches and demon strations by special interest or minority groups, many of them foreign, predominate. CND was responsible for 14

of the occasions. Iraqis, Ira-nians, Palestinians, Pakistanis, Tamils, Sikhs, Cypriots, Polish and Chilean solidarity moveand Chilean solidarity move—provide incentives, he said.

Outlining a new "national contract" by which Labour parties on Bradford City council would sweep away the in-are seeking a meeting with equalities he said had been senior police officers who created under Mrs Thatcher's allowed a British National Party rally to take place on Thursday also proposed a national mini-although the council was ready mum wage, a more steeply

# in London By Our Political Editor

Russia 'ran 200 British spies' Sir Anthony Kershaw, Conservative MP for Stroud

and chairman of the Commons Select Committee on Foreign Affairs, will spend the weekend studying a 160-page memorandum claiming that the Soviet Union ran between 200 and 300 spies in Britain only 10 to 13 of whom were uncovered. The document, The Security of the United Kingdom Against

the Assault of the Russian Intelligence Service, was sent by Mr Peter Wright, the former MI5 "molehunter" who lives in retirement in Australia. Speaking from his home in Tasmania yesterday, Mr Wright said: "All I am trying to do is to

Head First: Mr Steve Treble hangs by his foot (top) after

get an inquiry." He was prepared to return to Britain to give evidence pro-vided he was guaranteed that he would not be prosecuted under the Official Secrets Acts for giving an interview to Granada

## Meacher calls for national maximum salary

A patinal maximus salary was proposed yesterday by Mr Michael Meacher. Labour's spokesman on social security, as a way of cutting down "exploitation" by company executives and paying for big increases in social benefits. Mr Meacher, speaking it

Nottingham, proposed a maximum of £37,500, enough to to seek a banning order from progressive income tax system, the Home Secretary

## 'Burn Catholics' politician to be prosecuted

Television's World in Action

Mr Wright said if he failed to

persuade the Government to

reopen the question of Soviet peneration of British intelli-

genee he would publish his

document "world-wide". He had refused several approaches from publishers wishing to take

the book. No newspaper had

Sir Anthony confirmed from his Gloucestershire home yes-terday that Mr Wright's docu-

ment had "just arrived". "I think an inquiry at a suitable

But he was keeping an open

mind and would study the material before deciding whether to press the Prime Minister for an investigation.

Sir Anthony said that he had been approached by retired

intelligence officers urging him

to undertake an inquiry.

level would not come amiss".

broadcast this month.

made an offer.

A "loyalist" politician is to be prosecuted because of remarks be made calling for taxpayers' money to be spent on incinerators to burn Roman Catholics and their priests.

Mr George Seawright was served with the summous under the Public Order (Northern Ireland) Act, alleging that he used threatening, abusive or insulting words or behaviour with intent to invoke a breach of the peace.

Mr Seawright, a Northern Ireland Assembly member, who was suspended from the Demo-cratic Unionist Party after his remarks, faces, if convicted, a maximum jail sentence of six omme months, a fine of £100, or both. years.

# **Guidelines** for doctors on drug

industry links

The study examines 10 more

Guidelines to physicians on drugs industry regarding the promotion of new products are to be drawn up after an investigation by the Royal College of Physicians (Thomson

Prentice writes).

The advice, aimed primarily at specialists in hospital practice, is intended to avoid further criticisms that physicians are in some cases influenced by pharmaceutical industry

oharmaceutical industry
The college said yesterday
that a working party had been
set up and that its chairman, Si.
Raymond Hoffenberg, who is
the college president, hoped it
would be able to offer recommendations within two

# British Council aims to bridge the skills gap

The British Council is celethis year with a drive to set up partnerships with companies bidding for important projects: overseas.

year to "promote an enduring understanding and appreciation" of Britain's cultural, educational and technical abilities. Two months ago, though, in an effort to put much more: emphasis on the technical skills, it circulated British companies offering to supply.

with a warning and an offer.

Since sending out its bro-It emphasized that less aid is

disbursed by global development agencies such as the World Bank and the EEC's brating its fiftieth anniversary European Development Fund. They are insisting that bid-

ders for big projects they fund in the Third World should not It expects to spend £63m this of winning construction and be meamerized by the prospect equipment supply contracts. Skills must be put in place to ensure projects survive after foreign specialists depart. It is the increasingly-important element of technical training which the British Council is

churc, Building the Skills Gap, nowadays going direct to it has been approached up, developing countries. In Brialmost 40 firms, several with tain's case, 41 per cent is specific projects in mind. specific projects in mind.

The bait is the commercial the Centre for Computer Stu-contracts which the council has dies at Singapore's Ngee Ann recently secured with private Polytechnic. sector partners.

Mr Edmund Marsden, director of the council's Educational Contracts Department, said yesterday it had just completed a three-year assignment in Sri Lanka with the firm, Foster Wheeler, which has seen 13,000 construction workers being trained with £1.8m of World Bank funds. We lead the contract," Mr. Marsden said. "It went through on time. They were very happy with it and have given us an extension of

Other projects include a bid, as a sub-contractor to ICL, which won a contract to set up

"What was attractive to the Singaporeans was that the project was educationally-led. rather than product-led. Mr Marsden said. They were very happy with the joint approach. We were looking after the 'live-ware' - the people, ICL was the leader and supplied hardware (a 2958 mainframe computer and 34 terminals)." The council earned £494,000

and has just picked up another £764,000 in Egypt working with nationalized companies grouped in British Electricity International. That was to set up the Cairo North Training Centre for power workers.

# **Alliance** may sue over TV time

Plenty of

coal for

homes,

**NCB** says

By David Young Energy Correspondent

Coal mined specifically for

The NCB said yesterday that

with output at that level, output from the smokless fuel industry

still continuing and imports of house coal from Poland, there is

no expectations of shortages

operate from their own yards.

by Gloocestershire coke hanli-

ers seeking to have South Wales miners leaders jailed for

contempt, it was announced yesterday. On Thursday, Mr Justice

Park reserved judgment on an application by George Read Transport and Richard Read

Transport seeking the commit-tal of Emlyn Williams, South Wales NUM president, Terry

Thomas, area vice president

and George Rees, area general secretary. The companies al-lege that the mion leaders have

broken a High Court injunction

not to stop, approach or interfere with the companies'

lorries at Port Talbot steel-

ers they have been very good in

They have allowed supplies to

The NCB and the Depart-

ment of Energy have ruled out

any form of rationing or quota structure being introduced this

winter for domestic supplies.
The NCB spokesman said:
"Any supply will be a matter to

be dealt with between the coal

merchants and the customer,

but the figures we have show that there is no reason for people to be concerned or

panicted into building up stocks

during the summer at higher

than normal levels. Comsumers

may have to switch from one brand of smokeless fuel to

select committee is the basis for

it. I differ on that. We are not

Mr Wright said yesterday

that his study was written from

memory. It listed: "Only names

that everybody knows. It was

written to demonstrate the threat and what can be done to

improve things security-wise".

The Wright memorandum, of about 50,000 words, examines the case of the late Sir Roger Hollis, former director-general

of MI5. In 1981, Sir Roger was

cleard by the Prime Minister of

allegations that he had spied for

Wright claimed that "intelli-gence-wise it was 99 per cent certain" that Sir Roger had been

a Soviet agent.

In his television interview Mr

privy councillors".

this winter.

the domestic market in now

By Julian Haviland Political Editor

Dr David Owen, leader of the Social Democrats, yesterday threatened to seek redress in the courts for what he claimed was a denial of natural justice by the BBC and the Independent Broadcasting Authority.

being produced at 40 per cent of normal levels, according to the National Coal Board. Pits in the Nottingham and East Midlands areas particularly are keeping supplies to merchants at near normal levels.

The NCR said vesterday that He said the Broadcasting Complaints Commission had this week told him it had no powers to examine his complaint, made on behalf of the Liberal Party and SDP, that both broadcasting authorities were falling in their duty to act fairly and impartially and not to

The only merchants to be his The two parties have freare those in the strike-bound coalfields who draw supplies quently complained that broadcasters allocate time in news direct from pitheads and do not reports by reference to the distribution of seats in the Commons rather than to elec-Judgment will be given on Monday in the High Court in London on the action brought

toral support.

Speaking in the Commons yesterday during a debate on elect committees, on which the Alliance parties consider they are unfairly represented, Dr Owen was particularly severe on the BBC Radio Four programme Yesterday in Parlia-ment, which he called a

ment, which he caned a disgrace.

"The BBC is perpetuating the old party system," he said. The independence of the BBC governors was going to be questioned severely and in his view would go to the courts on the issue of natural justice.

In his letter to the Broadcasting Complaints Commission, Dr Owen said the Alliance was not being treated as an important political force and by comparison with Labour was being given grossly unfair

A spoksman for the NCB said: "In fairness to the National Union of Minework-The Alliance obtained 25.4 per cent of the vote at the general election, against lifting picketing to meet any cases of hardship when requested by local merchants. Labour's 27.6 per cent and had obtained more votes than Labour or the Conservatives in the six by-elections of the present Parliament. be collected from he pitheads for schools, hospitals and elderly customers when ap-proached." This was a considerable shift

from the support won by the Liberals alone in 1945, but had not been matched by an equivalent change in the way politics was reported by broad casters.

He enclosed figures from a monitoring exercise by his party during 10 weeks between February and April this year of BBC Television's main 9pm news and ITN's News at Ten. It measured coverage of parties activities in minutes and seconds as:

his parachute tangled during a 3,200ft jump on Thursday an brand of smokeless fuel to Headcorn airfield, Kent, and (highligh) on the grand problem but supplies are availabruised but no bones broken But he acknowledged that programmes had to reflect the news, and that it was inevitable that the activities of the Government should receive more prominence.

ITN said yesterday that it had not seen the analysis of the SDP's findings, and did not "They seem to think the know what it covered: for example, whether it included government statements. ITN cleared for security. We are not could make no further com-Miss Barbara Hosking, controller of information services for the IBA, said that the independent television companies went to great trouble to ensure that their programmes were not biased. The emergence of the Alliance had made the requirement of impartiality

# Liberals to challenge council ban

By Frances Gibb Legal Affairs Correspondent Liberals on Hackney Council,

east London, yesterday won the right to proceed with a legal challenge to a ban imposed by the Labour-controlled council, which denies them access to key meetings. They were granted leave in the High Court in London by Mr Justice Woolf to proceed

with a judicial review of the ban, in what is seen as a test case on the freedom of councillors to have access to information. The Liberals say that the

council has acted beyond its powers in banning councillors from meetings unless they are members and in denying them access to agendas and minutes. They have the backing of Mr David Steel, the Liberal leader, as part of his freedom of information campaign. They are also being supported by the Association of Liberal Council-

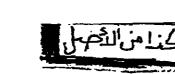
Hackney Council bans Lib-erals, outnumbered 50 to seven by Labour, from seven "confidential" subcommittees unless they are members. Liberals are denied access to five subcommittees and the Conservatives to three.

The case has implications for many so-called "undemocratic" councils, including Conservative-controlled Bromley, Kent, and Sefton, Merseyside, and Labour-dominated Coventry and Barking, Essex.

Hackney's Liberal leader, Mr David Gamper, protests that the ban makes it impossible for him to represent constituents.

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Law journal

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rapist

The recent High Court award of damages to a man jailed for

life after committing rape due,

it was said, to brain damage

caused in a road accident, was

described as "preposterous" in

The man, Christopher Meah, received £45,750 concerning the

crime he committed and for his

injuries, on the basis that he was

unlikely to have committed the

crime if he had not been

The Solicitors Journal had

earlier registered its protest at

an injured man's divorce settlement being an element in

his claim for damages for personal injury, it said that such awards were bringing the law

Insurance companies have

also expressed their concern

and say that if such ancillary

awards for loss based on

conjecture become a trend,

Commenting on the damages

award to the man convicted of rape, the journal states: "There

is no doubt in our mind that

"Imagine the scope of future claims. The advice my solicitors gave me - which happened to

be negligent - made me so furious that I lost my temper,

drove badly and crashed my

car, which was a write-off and cost £15,000.

the local council left in the

pavement tripped the armed

policeman trying to stop a bank raider. That resulted in the bank

losing £1m and an innocent

"The spectacle of a judge

seriously balancing the fact that

the victim was sentenced for a

particular crime against the

likelihood' that he would have

been convicted of other, but less

bystander being shot.

"The uneven paving stone

this is quite preposterous.

into disrepute.

greatly increase.

legal journal yesterday.



# Air package tourists to get more protection from company collapses

Arrangements for protecting air package holidaymakers if air package holidaymakers if review arrangements after the not a practicable option, but in the strengthened after the Laker collapse, concluded that the House of Commons yesterbe strengthened after the Laker

The Department of Transport yesterday accepted a recommendation by Sir Peter Lane that the Government should take powers to reimpose a levy on holders of Air Travel Organizers' Licence if future claims seriously reduce the size

At present 717 companies are licensed with about £150m in compulsory bonds. If the bond is not sufficient to cover a company which fails then a second source of compensation is approximately £18m held in the Air Travel Reserve Fund.

During the past 10 years 50 ATOL licence holders have failed, but in only 22 cases was it necessary to draw on the reserve fund.

Graduate

had igloo

in bedroom

Police who searched the

home of a nuclear engineering graduate found £2,000 worth of

cannabis plants in the green-

house, a drugs laboratory in the lounge, a temple of meditation

in the sitting room, and an igloo

in the bedroom, Inner London

Crown Court was told yester-

Andrew Hale, aged 31, of Plumstead High Street, south

London, admitted possessing

cannabis with intent to supply,

and selling cannabis. He was

ordered to serve 180 hours

Libyan student.

Police have confirmed that

they arrested and deported a

Libyan, in a move understood to be linked with inquiries into

Nali, a man with strong links

with Colonel Gaddaff's inner circle of revolutionaries.

Thoughtful wife

Mrs Kathleen Edwards, of

of thirsty man

in May stated in her will:

house, Norwood Green, so my

husband can have his usual pint, I will wait as I have always

The will was dated April 1, and the family said yesterday: "The stop did not happen. We

decided it was a private joke."

Gun theft charge

ham, was charged at Torbay Magistrates' Court, Devon,

yesterday with stealing 12 hand guns from a shop in Paignton. He was remanded in custody

until Monday, when he will appear on a joint charge with Vincent Palmer, aged 18, of Noel Road, Edgbaston, Bir-

mingham, who appeared at the

Swan sanctuary

A sanctuary for swans poisoned by lead is to be opened by

Lord Bathurst on his Ciren-cester Park Estate in Glouces

tersbire. Volunteers are being

asked to clear gravel pits, which

will be used as a treatment centre for swans affected by fishermen's lead-weights.

Appeals refused

Britain, Mr Shlomo Argon, were refused leave in the Court

of Appeal yesterday to appeal against their sentences.

2½-miledry wall

A Cotswold dry stone wall more than two-and-a-half miles

long forms part of the A40

Northleach bypass in Glouces-tershire, to be opened on Tuesday by Mr Nicholas Ridley, Secretary of State for Transport.

court on Thursday.

community service.

is deported

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Sir Peter, who was asked to the present level of the fund was day Mr David Mitchell, Parliaadequate and that neither the mentary Under Secretary of consumer nor the industry State for Transport, expressed would benefit from fundamendisappointment at the insurance tal changes in the system.

His recommendations for strengthening the scheme in-clude increasing the bonds required from some of the larger companies.

The Civil Aviation Authority, which also monitors the financial fitness of air travel companies, welcomed the re-port, and said that it would be looking at the recommen-

In his report Sir Peter said that there was no enthusiasm in the industry of from the insurance market for replacing the present arrangements with

He concluded that this was industry's lack of interest.

He asked for comments by the end of September on Sir Peter's report and said that he would especially value com-

The Tour Operators' Study Group, representing 17 large travel companies, welcomed the report's recommendations that the existing holidaymakers' protection scheme should not

Review of Arrangements for Protecting the Clients of Air Travel Organizers. (Department of Transport, Building 1, Victoria Road, South Ruisipp, Middlesex, HA4 (NZ, £5.20).

# Scientists criticize dioxin decision

By Patricia Clough

about dioxin and other toxic chemicals found in samples of

Three dioxin experts said the decision appeared to have been based on misleading information from local pollution authorities.

The discovery of dioxin has increased fears that a chemical waste reprocessing plant at Bonnybridge or a municipal incinerator near by may have caused cancer, birth defects, diseased cows and still-born or

Scientists and environmenta- cause cancer in animals, in soil lists are concerned about a samples Dr Chittan wrote to the decision by Falkirk Distret Scottish Office expressing con-Council not to take any action cern and asking for more tests. The council decided not to The present water shortage shows how few lessons were

learnt from the last drought, in

However, the Wessex Water

Anthority, bradly affected in 1976, has not needed restric-tions because it pioneered new

technology.

Monitoring equipment used to stop leaks is believed to have

But the South West Water authority, which is just begin-ning similar work, faces a cut-off of 17 hours a day early next

Backwardness in improving

coordination of supplies within

water authorities, another les-

son of 1976, has hit the Welsh

Beaches ban

threat

to dogs

By a Staff Reporter

The dog days of summer will

soon be over for good on some Cornish beaches, as district councils are to get powers to ban canine visitors, from the

The Cornwall Bill, contain

ing provision for anti-dog

decrees to come into force next

through the House of Com-

yesterday, despite howls of

Two Cornish districts al

Mr John Winskill, secretary

in the small hours of

cut needs by a tenth.

particularly hard.

take action against the plant, owned by Re-Chem International, on the basis of a statement by the Industrial Pollution Inspectorate that the amounts found in the samples were similar to levels nromally found in rural areas. But the scientists said no-one

knew the dioxin levesls in British rural areas since a survey would be too costly.

Dr Alaster Hay, of the Department of Chemical Path-The council had been con-ology, Leeds University, said a sidering a report by Dr Brock processing plant in Illinois had Chittam, a Canadian analyst, been closed after complaints of who said he found polychlori- similar diseases in horses and nated biphenyls which have humans living near by. The



politan Police Commissioner, attending the force's horse show at Imber Court, East Molesley, Surrey, yesterday. (Photograph: Suresh Karadia).

# Sinclair aim to win half market

Sinclair Research aims to capture half the British microcomputer market by Christmas (Bill Johnstone writes). Its present share is 43 per cent and

For the first time the company will advertise on television, specifically to sell the Spectrum.

Three terrorists of Palestinian origin jailed for the attempted assassination in June, 1982, of the then Israel Ambassador to To coincide with the £4m advertising campaign the QL microcomputer and the pocket television. previously only available by mail order, will be on sale in shops. The new marketing strategy will also feature gifts of programs.

Sinclair is to double Spec trum output to 200,000 a month by the end of the year. QL output will rise to 50,000 and that of pocket televisions to 20,000.

But the company has warned retailers that it expects the initial supply of QLs and televisions to be limited.

# **Dangerous** strimmers recalled

£100,000 on an advertising campaign to warn customer about defective grass strimmer which have fallen apart and cu

ing director, Mr Evan Jones, described them as dangerous.
"We were alerted to the danger when customers who were injured, reported acci-dents. Immediately we started a recall and a special team is now working through our two-week shut-down period modifying the machines returned, to make them safe."

# in England and Wales, ap-pointed Dr Dewi Madoc-Jones authority says only a period of **Book dealers fined in**

Dartmoor ponies are finding their usual drinking places dried up by the drought. Dartmoor national park officials say they are still getting enough to drink from heavy morning dews, the few remaining streams and, where necessary, from their

Few lessons learnt from 1976 drought

Birmingham Amsterdam Brussels

paperback "Attention Coke-Lovers" breached the Obscene Publications Act.

Beth Grossman, aged 32, and Donald Skirving aged 35, partners in Airlift Books, which Market Road, Mill Hill, north London, did not give evidence, but put forward a defence of

One of their co-partners, Mr Brian Wade, aged 33, of the same address, was acquitted. The jury was told that he handled the sales side of the

to head a new team responsible

for hi-tech water conservation.

Hosepipe bans come into force today for 6.75 million

people living in the Severn-

Trent area, where some reservoirs are below their 1976 level.

ency pumps have been installed to maintain supplies to a large area of Cumbria, where hose-

pipes are already banned.

In the Lake District emerg-

Scotland Yard to raid the firm after complaints by an MP. The jury's verdict means the scope of the Obscene Publications Act has been widened beyond

Mr Michael Worsley, for the prosecution, said information in "Attention Coke-Lovers"

# Policeman fired shots and set home ablaze

officers away with a shotgun for an hour and a half and then attempted suicide by setting fire to the house, St Albans Crown Court was told yesterday.

in consumption will prevent cut-offs for 17 hours a day.

Wales faces a similar situation

by September if the drought

yesterday held out little hope of

prolonged rain at the weekend.

• Children face a health risk

as water levels in Reservoirs and rivers fall, a Labour

Mr Jack Straw, told the Commons yesterday. There is

a danger when reservoirs get extremely low of the develop-ment of Weil's disease, a

virulent form of glandular

spokesman on the environmen

The London Weather Centre

persists.

Sergeant Terence Robbens filled the house with gas and fired his gun at the walls and windows. While the house was burning he jumped from the window.

l. father of three children, of Telscombe divorce petition from his wife Bedfordshire, Way, Luton, admitted arson and possessing a

fever, which can affect young children playing on river serious crimes, in any event, and putting a price tag on the result is quite ludicrous.

A police officer barricaded an offence. He was sentenced to himself in his home, kept fellow two years' imprisonment, with one year suspended. His senior officer, Det Chief Supt Brian Prickett, told Mr

been a dedicated officer who worked long hours. He added: "The long hours

clearly had a bad effect on his family life. He would not share his troubles, but bottled things up. The final straw appears to have been when he received a which described him as not being a caring man. He was in firearm with intent to commit an appalling mental state



Princess Alexandra with Sir Kenneth Newman, Metro-

● A Rinco ornamental pool filter has been found to be electrically unsafe. The Japa-nese-made filter, costing about £90, has been found by the have a design fault and owners are advised to disconnect it

#### Gyllingvase and nearby Castle Beach will be early candidates for designation, as well Chapel Porth at St Agnes on the north coast, where restricted access will make the ban easier to enforce. Mr David Jaggar, adminis-trator of Restornel District

spool which flies off at high speed. The company's market-

British Standards Institute to

Black and Decker is to spend Council, said his authority had

received many letters about Readymoney Cove and White-house Beach, Fowey. "The principal problem is fouling, but we have also had cases of The strimmers have a faulty dogs roaming in packs and frightening young children", he said. from visitors to Newquay on the north coast saying taht they have been so disgusted by the sight of dogs depositing on the beach that they feel they could

# obscenity test case

Two book dealers were each fined £750 yesterday after a "test trial" at the Central Criminal Court about a book on

and a third of purified water is believed to drain away before

reaching the tap. Britain use

twice as much water a head than most European countries.

be worsening as the average age of mains, many built by the

lictorians, increase.

is cost-effective.

Water losses are believed to

In many areas leak control is

hindered by the loss of maps

showing the original Victorian installations. Nationally it has

been officially recognized only

since 1980 that repairing leaks

This week, however, the Water Research Council, fun-

ded by the 10 water authorities

A jury decided by a majority of 10 to two that a £3.25

"freedom to read".

business and had no knowledge of the content of books.

The Home Office allowed

might tend to deprave



It's more than just the price that sets it apart.

Quality in an age of change.

# David Jacobs says goodbye to 'Any Questions' David Jacobs was chairman public figures give their views



David Jacobs: smooth and effortless charm

last night for the last time of ou questions put by members of RBC Radio's Any Questions, the programme he has compered with smooth and effortless charm for nearly 17 years.

"Four months ago I simply was told that my contract would not be renewed at the end of the series. They said they wanted to have a change," Mr Jacobs said yesterday. "I'm sure it will be good for the programme and

Mr Jacobs said he had enoyed enormously chairing the programme in which four

audience. It is broadcast live from church halls, works canteens and meeting places all over the country.

He said that his worst

ment was at Basingstoke in 1976 when anti-fascist demo strators hurled bricks and abuse at the United Reformed Church hall, where the panel was sitting, because they objected to the presence of Mr Enoch Powell on the platform. Mr Jacobs led the team from

The programme was also stopped four years later by hecklers at Newcastle upon

The team last night included Lord Marsh, a close personal friend of Mr Jacobs.

Mr Jacobs, aged 58, is only the third regular chairman of Any Questions since it grew out of the Brains Trust programme more than 30 years ago.

He is to be replaced by Mr John Timpson, the presenter from the Today programme, when the new series starts in

resulting from Israel's general the electorate", the Ierusalem the great majority of Israelis election, President Chaim Her20g is due to play what could "This time, due to the great majority of Israelis would support a presidential prove to be a crucial role next balanced stand off and the and his racism." week in determining which of problems entailed in having the week in determining which of problems entailed in having the A former member of the the main parties gets the first parties overcome their object Labour Party, Mr Herzog - who opportunity to try to form a tions to serving together in a was born in Belfast - is well

factions, and then to designate previous President." one of them to try to form a coalition. The party leader thus selected then has up to 42 days to try to complete the task.

After four days of inconclusive haggling, commentators are looking increasingly towards the President to help end the

Because of the stalemate mation of the clear decision of what happened in 1981. I think

Under Israeli law the President Herzog will be condent's first task is to consult the

Mr Herzog to refuse to invite moves to change Israel's present Rabbi Meir Kahane, leader of unsatisfactory electoral system, the Kach Party, to take part in which has led to the deadlock. A senior Israeli official said:

government of national unity, respected by all sections of Israeli society, and in the past has gone out of his way to show himself to be impartial. He is revious President."

now also under growing pressthere is growing pressure for ure to take the initiative in

next week's discussions, although such a move would be a showed that Rabbi Kahane's complete break with precedent party secured double the support from the army vote that it impasse. "In the past, the President is not obliged by did from the civilian sector. It law to see every leader of the won one seat by obtaining 1.2 way of an automatic confirmal parties, although that is per cent of the total Israeli vote.

## Marines completing Beirut pull-out

# Embassy hires militia guards

American diplomats in Beirnt have recruited Druze and Shla Muslim gunmen to guard their new embassy offices in the west of the city, dressed them in brown uniforms with black berets and given them heavy machine-guns to protect the building on the Mediterranean

of the very last US Marine unit in the Lebanese capital it adds a final irony to America's political and military involveMuslim militias that the American Marines and Navy

American lives were previously members of the Druze Pro-gressive Socialist Party militia, the very group bombarded by the American battleship, New Jersey, early this year.

The Americans still believe,

# Damascus finds an ally in State Department

From Our Own Correspondent, Washington

appear to have been taken aback by unexpected praise given by a senior State Department official to Syria's "helpful" role in restoring stability in Lebanon, The remark is sharply at variance with the usual style of Administration polemics about Syria.

Mr Richard Murphy, Assistant Secretary of state for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, noted that Mr Rashid Karami's new government in Lebanon had been achieving success in restoring order and in addressing many of its

"He believe that Syria has

did battle last autumn.

indeed, some of the young men perched in guard posts outside the new offices in the Raouche district to protect

United States Congressmen been one of the helpful players in these recent developments". he told members of the House foreign affairs subcommittee on the Middle East and

Europe.
"We also believe that Lebanon needs peaceful, cooperative relations with both Syria and Israel. No lasting solution is possible which fails to take into account the interests of both these important neighbours."

For almost two years the Administration has consistently blamed Syria for the trouble in the Middle East. Asked by one congressman how Syria could be a helpful player, Mr Murphy replied: "Times change".

bombing of the Marine head-quarters in Beirut last October in which about 240 US servicemen were killed. But President Reagan's de-

cision to evacuate the last company of Marines from embassy guard duties made the recruitment of gunmen inevi-American Marines,

meanwhile were flying ammunition and guns yesterday to Sixth Fleet ships from the Beirut seafront in series of US Navy Chinook helicopters. Most of their diplomats have already left the British Embassy building on the coast for their new quarters - the 15 or so British diplomats moved to new premises in West Beirut on Thursday - and the 100 Marines, the last vestige of what was once a four-power multinational force, are expected to be flown out to their ships today or tomorrow.

They are leaving with a flea in their ear from the Daily Star, Beirut's only English-language newspaper which was once a supporter of the West's involvement in Lebanon as "helpful" only five months after Mr Reagan had described it as "bent on territorial quest", the paper said: "The American cut and ran in February . . in hindsight, however, the best present Reagan ever gave the Lebanese was the clean pair of heels he



# **Peking optimistic** on Howe visit

From David Bonavia, Peking

Mr Wu Xueqian, the Chinese in Peking yesterday that he hoped to sort out "questions which remain issues" in the Anglo-Chinese talks on Hongkong, during the visit by Sir Geoffrey Howe,

Sir Geoffrey arrived from Hongkong on board an RAF VC10. His visit was arranged to resolve the disagreement between Britain and China over a future joint commission to oversee arrangements for transferring sovereignty over the territory to China in 1997.

China wants the commission oreign Minister, told reporters to sit in Hongkong, but Britain opposes this on the grounds that it might become a factor in the increasingly sensitive political situation there.

Mr Wu said he expected to have intensive talks during Sir Geoffrey's five-day visit, his second to Hongkong and Peking this year. "I am sure that, with a spirit

of cooperation, progress will be made on the ritain issues, which call for a solution", Mr Wu

# Uruguay

Uruguay's military government has lifted a ban on the country's third-largest political force, the left-wing Frente Amplio (Broad Front) coalition, in preparation for elections on November 25.

evening legalized the Christian Democratic, Socialist, and other parties which make up the coalition, but maintained an II-year-old ban on the Commpnist Party and on the Frente's

the military formally began negotiations with civilian parties on conditions for the elections, and was greeted with

# Weinberger rejects limiting Vienna agenda to space

Mr Caspar Weinberger, the United States Defence Secretary, yesterday ruled out going to Vienna for talks with the Soviet Union if the Russians insist on limiting discussions to the subject of space weapons. His comments were the most forthright statement so far on the American position.

The Soviet Union has proposed that the talks should begin on September 18. The Americans insist that they would also raise the issue of strategic and medium-range nuclear missiles, which the Russians have described as an unacceptable pre-condition. Mr Weinberger's remarks

have come at an extremely delicate time in back-stage attempts by both sides to get the talks under way. They are in sharp contrast to the careful language chosen by other senior members of the Administration. Mr George Shultz, the Secretary of State, spent most of Thursday on Capitol Hill trying to reassure Senators that the Administration is doing its utmost to get the Vienna talks going. In contrast, Mr Wein-

President Reagan has made clear that he is prepared to send a delegation to Vienna without preconditions, but that the US team would feel free to raise issues on interest. Washington has also indicated the it cannot accept a Russiam proposal for a moratorium on testing space weapons once the talks are

under way.

Mr Weinberger, speaking to the Washington Past, said:

"They (the Russians) have said

and the said they want to talk about anti-satellite and space-based wea-pons systems – the demilitarization of space is what they are talking about - and we have said: 'Fine, we'll talk about

# Counterblast by Moscow

A deputy Soviet Foreign Minister, Mr Viktor Komplektov, accused the US of making negocions impossible (Reuter reports from Moscow).

that the US reply, which American officials said was delivered on July 24, talked only of "issues of concern to both sides" without mentioning space weapons. "The position of the United States has made impossible negotiations as proposed by the Soviet Govern-

Moscow proposed last week that the two governments should issue a joint statement on their readiness to hold talks, detailing an agenda limited to space weapons and announcing a moratorium on their develop-

counter-draft Washington referred only to reaching "mutual and verifiable measures of limitation on issues causing concern to both sides", Mr Komplektov said. berger has given the impression that the US position is not

Asked what Washington had to do to make talks possible, Mr Komplektov said: "They should say Yes, there is a problem of the militarization of space. . . Let us talk about

The Kremlin wants assurances on a limited, predefined agenda for the talks, and says it onld regard a refusal to impose a moratorium on space weapons as unwillingness to talk. But it says a moratorium is not a precondition for talks.

reduction of missiles that kill people. I very much hope we

will go to Vienna, but there is no point whatever in going to Vienna and just talking about "But we also want to talk Vienna an about our agenda, which is the one thing."

## **Cheysson attacks US** attitude to world debt Buenos Aires (Reuter) - M overcome world economic

Claude Cheysson, the French problems.

External Affairs Minsiter, has accused Washington of failing understood that part of their to listen to international demands for action on the world debt crisis.

remain silent on the analysis we make in common", he told the Argentine Council for International Relations on Thurs-

M Cheysson said the developing world and the indus-trialized nations of Europe were "If interest rates do not South dialogue increased to depends on them" he said.

future depends on what hap-pens in the Third World", he "It is really difficult for us to M Cheysson addressed the understand why the Americans council on the first day of a

three-day visit to Argentina. He said the economic crisis was the greatest threat facing the world, even more than the East-West conflict. But nothing could be accomplished unless

"If interest rates do not go increasingly in agreement that down there (in the United interest rates must be lowered. States) we cannot lower ours budget deficits cut and North- The world monetary order



The Spanish financier, Senor José Maria Ruiz Mateos, with his wife Teresa and one of his danghters after being freed in Frankfart on bail of DM10m (£2.6m). There was no word on £2.6m). There was no word on £2.6m 's request for his extradition to stand trial for alleged fraud. Señor Ruiz Mateos, former head of the Rumasa iness empire, has claimed he was subjected to political persecution in Spain. He was arrested in April in Frankfurt after arriving from America.

# Frenchman shoots at British hitch-hikers

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Two British hitch-hikers waiting for a lift in front of a house in St Jean de la Ruele. near Orleans, were shot at on Wednesday by the irate owner who could not stand the sound of his dogs barking. He had asked them to move on, but the two boys apparently did not

understand. Nicholas Barnard, aged 21, from Bristol, was taken to hospital after being wounded in the elbow, but was released the following day after the bullet had been removed. His friend was not hurt. The owner of the house, Philippe Auger, aged 20, was detained by police overnight but was then released.

## **Ouebec law** 'inoperable'

Ottawa - The Supreme Court of Canada has struck down sections of a Quebec provincial law which severely restricts the language-of-education rights of English-speaking families in Quebec (John Best writes).

It rejected as "inoperable" the limiting of English-language education in the mainly Frenchspeaking province to the chil-dren of parents educated in

# Belgians held

Brussels (AFP) - Luxembourg police have arrested two Belgians, Mr Alain Davenne, aged 33, and Mr Gérard Massard, in connexion with the death of an Englishwoman. Margaret Bilverstone, aged 30, last Saturday.

### Envoy goes

Madrid (AFP) - Iran quietly withdraw its press attache, Mr Muhammad Jafar Niknam, aged 38, from Spain after the authorities accused him of contacts with terrorist suspects. He flew to Geneva.

#### Brazil choice

Sao Paulo - Senhor Tancredo Neves, Governor of Minas Gerais state, is to be proclaimed presidential candidate of the opposition PMDB, the Brazilian Democratic Movement, and breakaway "liberal" wing of the ruling PDS Social Demo-cratic Party on August 7.

# Uganda parole

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Nairobi - Seven hundred people, including prisoners serving sentences and others who had been detained "on suspicion", have been released on parole from Luzira prison, near Kampala, Radio Uganda

### Jakarta contact

Jakarta (Reuter) - Indonesia and Portugal are maintaining of negotiations over Lisbon's former colony of East Timor which Jakarta annexed in 1976, the Foreign Minister, Mr. Mochtar Kusumaatmadja, said.

### Priest minister

Managua (AFP) - Father Fernando Cardenal, a Jesuit, has been sworn in as Education Minister of the Sandinista Government, despite warnings from his order that the office was incompatible with his condition as a priest.

# Kuwait deal

Kuwait (Reuter) - The Kuwaiti Defence Minister, Shaikh Salem al-Sabah, has returned home after a 10-day Union, during which he reached agreement in principle to buy Soviet weapons.

#### **Baby boost** Singapore (Reuter) - Singa-

pore has approved income tax cuts for educated married women to induce them to continue working and have more children. Leopard ban

Dar es Salaam,(AFP) -Tanzania has banned the export of leopards and cheetahs or products made from the skins of the two endangered animals.

## Rome blast

Rome (AP). ~ A blast tore through an apartment in southern Rome, injuring two people who were reported to be the family of a Nato officer.

# Last appeal by Ngemas against losing their land

From Michael Horusby, Johannesburg The 2,000-strong black farm- desperate last bid the farmers

ing community of kwaNgema in the eastern Transvaal, which wrote to the Queen earlier this year asking for help in resisting forcible removal to a tribal reserve, now fears that resettlement may be imminent.

Mrs Thatcher, to whom the Ngema also wrote, raised the issue when she met Mr P. W. Botha, the South African Prime Minister, in June and made clear that western governments would condemn the forced removal of the mainly Zulu

Since then, however, the

have written to Mr Botha entreating him not to make them "landless squatters in some impoverished homeland". Copies of the letter have been

sent to the Pope and the Queen, who replied to the farmers' carlier letter through the British Ambassador here, offering concern and sympathy but explaining her powerlessness to do any more.

A dam is to be opened nearby next year and the Government says this will flood the Ngemas' land, necessitating their re-moval in fact, only 20 of the 160 families living there will be

# Tense anniversary for Peruvian leader

Peru's democratically-elected Government celebrates its fourth anniversary today in an atmosphere of mounting ten-

Police this week carried out raids all over Lima, arresting more than 5,000 suspected criminals and terrorists in advance of the traditional National Day ceremonies. Last week the armed forces were placed in overall control of

operations against the Maoist guerrillas of the Sendero Luminoso (Shining Path) movement, in a tacit admission that the authorities have been unable to confine the insurgents to the corner of the south-central Andes where they began.

years of increasingly unpopular They enjoyed considerable military rule. Senor Belaunde success in rolling over the promised rapid growth fuelled \$12bn (£9bn) foreign debt, but by public investment, and quick the price was a series of solutions to balance of payagreements with the Interments and inflation problems. different. The experienced team sures without solving the main of bankers and financial man-conomic problems. There was



gives way to anxiety

agers who returned from exile Cabinet posts proved unable to All this is a far cry from the cope with the combination of optimism that greeted the inflation and economic stagnation which the world landslide victory of President Fernando Belaunde Terry in cession brought to Peru's 1980, which put an end to 12 export-dependent economy.

The reality has been very meant stringent austerity mea-

Government decided in April to This meant pursuing economic growth with selective public investment and support

at the same time adhering to IMF monetary guidelines. Something had to give, and this month one of the architects of the new policy, the president of the Central Bank, Senor Richard Webb, let the cat out of the bag: none of the targets set by the IMF for public expenditure, revenue collection and inflation was being, or could be.

in key sectors of the economy, including the civil service and teaching, had pushed the President into declaring a state of emergency, and Sendero Luminoso had launched the biggest overthown him.

per cent contraction in offensive of its four-year-ol With discontent and even

million population, and elections less than a year away, the particularly ruthless movement, attempt the impossible, sum-med up by President Belaunde its tactics. Despite the brutality

for manufactured exports, while

gross domestic product last "prolonged people's war". Up year, coupled with 120 per cent to 400 people have died in the past month, to add to the 3,400 known to have been killed in huager growing among the 17 previous years. Sendero Luminoso is a

using assassinations, executions austerity without re- of its methods, it has firmly established itself among the desperately poor peasants The guerrillas are not ar immediate threat to the stability

of the Government, but their increasingly daring operations contribute to an atmosphere of violence and demoralization exacerbated by an unrecedented crime wave and a succession of The military have been

reluctant to become too involved in the messy counterinsurgency effort, and the President must have hesitated By that time a series of strikes before he decided to put the key sectors of the economy. Army in control. He set the soldiers to chase guerrillas once before, during his first presiden-tial term in 1965. Within three years they had

# coalition ban lifted

From Douglas Tweedale Buenos Aires

A decree issued on Thursday

popular leader, ex-General Liber Seregni. The announcement came as

demonstrations and dancing
Earlier on Thursday, 14
leaders of the traditional
Blanco Party, which has
refused to negotiate with the
military, because human strike military, began a hunger strike to demand the release of their leader, Sedor Wilson Ferreira

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# Government appeal to save water

THE DROUGHT

The Government has appealed to the public to be responsible and economical in the use of water. In a statement to the Commons, Mr Ian Gow. Minister for Housing and Construction, said everyone should comply with any restrictions which might be imposed and to follow the advice of water authorities and companies to diminish the prospect of more severe restrictions later.

the dry spell in sight.

Opposition MPs criticized the Government for what they called its help people.

Mr Gow said hosepipe bans affected

21 million people and water shortages were becoming severe in Devon and Cornwall, parts of Wales and in the north west. In the north west rainfall in the first seven months of the year had been less than since records began 91 years ago.

In the south-west demand for water had been unprecedently high and the local water authority had appealed for a 50 per cent reduction appealed for a 50 per cent reduction authorities have prevented them if rationing was to be avoided. It from borrowing to carry out the was preparing plans to start rationing on August 9 if recessions and the start rationing on August 9 if recessions.

Dr John Cunningham, Chief Opposition spokesman on the environment, said it was not acceptable that the Secretary of State for the Environment, Mr Patrick Jenkin, was not present to

make the statement.
Mr Jenkin (he said) was available to be interviewed by the BBC earlier today about another matter and he should be in the House to answer for his responsibility on this issue. I regret that the statement is one

massive complacency and the Government's actions are coming far too late to aleviate the situation In reply to questions he said the for millions of people. The prospect Meteorological Office had told him of water shortages has been obvious that there was no immediate end to since the early part of this year, since the early part of this year, certainly since Easter. The Govern-

> The implication of the statement is that the Government is expecting people in the south-west and northeast to endure indefinite water shortages and rationing. Government policy, or more properly the lack of it, has been a major factor for this state faffairs.

> in real terms expenditure on water resources under this Govern-ment has been almost cut in half since 1981-82. In addition to that, the external financing limits applied to water

would like to make.

This was made clear by Mr Roger White of the Water Association on the radio this morning when he said

The Government has been too busy attacking councils and their Meteorological Officapital expenditure plans and this month I had a programmes and not devoting two chief scientists, sufficient attention to this critical Although forecast. water situation.

advice was given by them?

The long-term trend of demand for water clearly indicates that this situation will occur again and again elderly and infirm to the hardship of clearly and infirm to the hardship of unless there are fundamental changes in Government policy. Will Mr Gow undertake to set in train Mr Gow: I understand the such a fundamental review immedi-

Mr Gow: The Secretary of State asked me to make the statement because it is I who have been entrusted with special responsibility for the water industry. I was in the north-west yesterday and I am going to the south-west next Thursday.

Sir Anthony Steez (South Hams, C): One-third of the 20 million gallons of water which is used in Plymouth of water which is used in Plymouth. I reject entirely the charge that there is any completency whatever the part of the Government. There most certainly is not.

south-west on June 21. it was this very shortage of capital In the current financial year investment and Government cuts in £230m is being spent as capital on the capital programmes of water improving water resources and authorities which meant that they supply.

were unable to supply consumers. I of course receive the fortnightly reports which are issued from the Meteorological Office, and earlier

this month I had a meeting with the Although forecasting of weather is an imperiect science, the forecasts Did Mr Gow seek advice before which have been made are that making his statement from the there is no immediate prospect of an Meteorlogical Office? If so what end to the very dry spell.

> elderly and infirm to the hardship of using standpipes. arability of standpipes unless it is absolutely necessary. The Secretary of State is discussing that very matter with the chairman of the South-West Water Authority

South-West Water Authority

every day goes to waste because of defective pipes. Mr Gow: There is a substantial loss Hosepipe bans were first imposed in the south-west on May 12 and in the north-west on June 2. The first

# Alliance threat to disrupt business of House

**PROCEDURE** 

Parliament and the independence of its governors were questioned by Dr David Owen, Leader of the SDP, during a debate in the House of Commons over the political composition of select committees. He said that important debates during the middle of the night had gone virtually unreported, but the present debate was taking place in prime time so that even the BBC

The role of the BBC in reporting

the pointed references and descrip-tions that come out of the debates of this House in a neutered and edited version in Yesterday in Parliament are a disgrace.

The BBC is perpetuating (he continued) the old party system. They are part of the old party system and the independence of the governors of the BBC is something

might report it.
The BBC (he said) with some of

that is going to be questioned very severely in the courts of law of this country on the issue of natural Mr David Alton (Liverpool, Moss-Mr David Alton (Liverpoor, Processes Hill, L) said that in the miserly allocation of time given by the BBC to Today in Parliament and in Parliament, the Yesterday in Parliament,

# programmes totally ignored the contribution of Alliance MPs and that was outrageous given the weight of opinion they represented Members of the Liberal-SDI Alliance would continue to disrup the proceedings of the House night after night until they were given better representation on com-

mittees.
Alliance MP's with the help of

some Labour MP's forced five divisions on orders changing representation on some of the committees. The Government substantial majorities in the divi A rare procedure was invoked in the Commons during the early hours of Friday morning after Liberal and Alliance MPs delayed roccedings by continually pressing

Defects Bill to the vote.

After seven divisions, the Deput Speaker (Mr Ernest Armstrong) invoked Standing Order No 38, claiming that a division had been

ord's amendments to the Housing

asked to stand, rather than file through the division lobbies. Since the large number of Conservative MPs in the Chamber, together with the smaller number of Labour MPs, all stood in favour, each of the five community. amendments where this device was used were agreed to.

Government has stated that the Ngema are to be moved 160 family whatever their wishes. In a affected



Low-key

release

for Polish

dissidents

Mr Palka, a former re-

searcher at Lodz polytechnic and deputy chairman the union branch in the smoky textile

town, was not viewed as radical,

but even so the manner of his release was surprisingly low key – no flashing police vans, no caravans of secret police.

A similar approach was taken in the freeing of Mr Andrzej Gwiazda. Gannt, bear-

ded, missing his front teeth, and carrying a ruck sack, Mr Gwiazda was allowed to leave

the prison where he had been

incarcerated for two and a half

years. He headed for the

Europijski Hotel, a faded building with potted plants, where he had promised to take

his wife, also a dissident, to

Because he looked like a

tramp he was refused entry, but

on hearing that he was one of the top Solidarity revolution-aries the reception desk re-

lented and gave him a good

chapter, has also returned to his home town. Once a key

negotiator on economic reform and the Solidarity union for farmers. Mr Slowik became

seriously ill during inprison-

Long hunger strikes had

weakened him so much that he

collapsed only weeks before the

amnesty for all 652 political prisoners was declared last weekend. More than 20,000

prisoners of a total of some 35,000 offenders, mainly common criminals, have been released. Half the political

prisoners bave been freed, although the four solidarity

dissident KOR group are still

believe that the seven Solida-

rity leaders, some of whom live

outside Warsaw, will be released before the most danger-

ous prisoners of all, the four KOR dissidents, are allowed to

leave. All 11 leaders and advisers were facing charges of preparing to overthrow the

Families of the dissidents

who were in the

Mr Andrzej Słowik, Palka's boss ith th Lodz Solidarity

celebrate his release.

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scarches without warrant, telephone tapping and detentions have aroused fears of a return to the methods of the dreaded PIDE secret police which provided the backbone of the 48-year dictatorship that was

Or Soares, the Prime Minis-ter was detained 11 times by the PIDE before going into exile in France. He said in support of the Bill, that the tough measures were essential to defend the state against terrorism and organized crime. He added that

similar laws existed in most other West European countries. Senor Rui Machete, the Justice Minister, has admitted that some of the Bill's proposals will need to be changed and toned down by Parliament

clause by clause with amendments, then passed to the President for promulgation. It may also be referred to the Constitutional Tribunal before



# Did football turn island against the British?

Allegations that British troops occupying Kastellorizo between 1943 and 1945 looted the deserted homes of wealthy islanders, then started fires to destroy the evidence of their crimes, are being questioned by some Kastellorizans.

The Polish authorities have started to free some of their most sensitive political prisoners, members of the top Solidarity leadership, dissidents said yesterday.

Mr Greener Polise are of They speak of sea captains from the other Dodecanese Islands, especially Symi, Nisyros and Kalymnos who, after Italy's capitulation in 1943, fled with their caiques to the Middle East via Kastellorizo. They are Mr Grzegorz Palka, one of seven Solidarity leaders imprisoned in Pakowiecka prison alleged to have traded Kastellorizan valuables in the markets of the Levant.

in Warsaw, was released on Thursday night and, according to one source, taken to the railway station to catch a frain Mr Agapitos Venitis, who runs a small restaurant here and is the local National Bank representative, says the British military could perhaps be accused of negligence in protect-ing the possessions of the inhabitants after ordering their evacuation because of German air raids, "but looting - never.

"It is absurd to claim that British soldiers stole our sewing machines, carpets and furniture, then were allowed to take them aboard troopships to sell in Cyprus or elsewhere", he said. Some souvenirs, yes, but no

Mr Ventis says his father's American-made radiogram, the only one on the island, and a large mirror with a gilded frame turned up in the Turkish port of Kas, opposite Kastellorizo. "The Turks told us they had



Ruins with a view: Emigration left many Kastellorizo homes in ruins. Right, the island priest, Papa-Yiorgis

aptains during the war." Even those who are con-

vinced that British and Indian troops were responsible for the looting agree, on further prob-ing, that there was probably a small "msfia" of officers and men working in collusion with Greek caique captains.

Papa-Yiorgis, the island's commanding officer on the only priest, heard that Symi Island.

Caique owners had done a lot of "When we returned from a "When we returned from pilfering on the island. But it was a British major, he insisted,

He had returned it when his wife fell incurably ill in Cyprus and he realized, after a dream, the magnitude of the sacrilege.

Dr Vanghelis Hatziyannakis,

an Athens surgeon who is president of the "Kastellorizans Everywhere Association", says his mother gave the key of their island home to the British Island,
"When we returned from a

refugee camp in the Middle East was a British major, he insisted, two years later we found the who stole an icon of Saint house an empty shell", he said. After repatriation in 1945, he

added, there had been recriminations between those who had returned first and the others who accused them of stealing some of their valuables.

Dr Hatziyannakis believes anti-British feeling here was

ately Greek, suspected passionately Greek, suspected result of the great exodus of the that this was the first step to islanders to Australia

surrendering the island Turkey, not to Greece. They scuffle with the British soldiers, tore down the Turkish flag. An inexplicable paradox is anti-British feeling here was that none of the ruins of triggered shortly after the end of modern homes that the British the war, when British troops are supposed to have set on fire invited a Turkish feetball too.

invited a Turkish football team for a match on the island and hoisted the Turkish flag next to the Union Jack on the castle to honour them.

The inlandam who are supposed to nave set on me in Kastellorizo show any evidence of a conflagration. There is impact damage, probably due to the great earthquake of 1926, or the German air raids of 1926, but above all there is decay the honour them. or the German air raids of 1943.
The islanders, who are but above all there is decay, the

# Storm of protest as French phone charges rise again

A storm of protest has greeted the French Government's decision to put up elephone charges by a further 16 per cent from August 1, bringing the total increase this

year to 25 per cent.

In a full year the increase should bring in an extra Fr8bn (nearly £700m), which the Government needs to help make up for the arriginated learning. make up for the anticipated loss of about Fr80bn in revenue due to President Mitterrand's promise to cut direct taxes and levies by the equivalent of 1 per cent

of gpd.
The increase follows another much contested rise earlier this month of 22 centimes on a litre of petrol, which will produce an estimated Fr6bn in a year.
Petrol prices, which have gone
up by 9 per cent since last
Christmas, are expected to go
up again by 10 centimes in the
middle of August.

The unions, the Communists and even many Socialists are outraged by what they see as a totally unsocialist and hyp-ocritical measure. They com-plain that the Government is simply taking away with one hand what it is giving with the other, and that the worst-off will

suffer most.
"What good does it do to cut direct taxes if the loss to the public exchequer is compensated by one (indirect) surtax after another?" The Communist

daily, L'Humanité, asked in a front page editorial vesterday "It is certainly not the best tonic for jobs, economic growth and the modernization of our economy,"

President Mitterrand has promised not only to cut direct taxes and levies by one per centage point next year from their present record level of nearly 45 per cent of gdp, but also to continue that trend in later years with the aim of reducing the fiscal burden to 42 per cent of gdp, while keeping the budget deficit to no more

than 3 per cent of gdp.

The Opposition has also denounced the Government's "double language" on taxes,

Earlier this week, M Alam Poher, president of the Opposition-dominated Senate, proposed that M Mitterrand should withdraw his plans for a referendum, and submit the question, on the expression of the expression. question, on the extension of the use of referendums, to both houses of Parliament sitting together. The President turned down M Poher's propsal.

Both the main parties have now decided to throw caution to the winds and to call for the total withdrawal of the idea of an extension of the referendum to cover civil liberties although it was the Opposition itself which has demanded a referendum on the private schools issue.

# Promise by Muldoon to stand down

From W. P. Reeves

The dominion council of the opposition National Party greed yesterday that Sir Robert Muldoon should stay as leader at least until February, when the leadership issue comes up

This endorses the decision of the parliamentary wing last week. Although Sir Robert had told party MPs he was unlikely to contest the leadership next time, some councillors went into yesterday's meeting wanting a firmer commitment on his readiness to stand down.

Council sources said Robert convinced them he would not stand again next February. The council is to look at its rules to ensure the party leaders' hold on office is conditional upon its continued approval, and not on that of the parliamentary wing alone.

Sir Robert was warmly applanded by delegates to the party's annual conference.

# Carrington seeks calm in Aegean From Our Correspondent Athens

Lord Carrington, the Nato Greek leaders that he will do his utmost to help solve the problems between Greece and Turkey that have bedevilled the Western alliance for the past 10

He has talks with President Karamanlis and Mr Andreas Papandreou, the Prime Minister, and had extensive briefing sessions at the Foreign Minister, and Ministry of Defence. Some 2,000 demonstrators responded to a call from the Communistled peace movement and staged a protest march against Nato in

Athens on Thursday night.
Lord Carrington told journalist that if the "difficulties"
between Greece and Turkey were easy to solve, they would have been solved long ago. "We must continue to do what we can to see that they are solved,"

Aware of the Greek Prime Minister's ideological aversion to Nato's military image, Lord Carrington took pains to em-phasize to him the political role of the alliance in reducing East-West tension, and promoting coexistence and arms controls.

Such was Greek hostility towards Lord Carrington's predecessor, Dr Josif Luns, who acquired a reputation here as a cynical pro-Turk, that the new Secretary-General's visit was a success before it began.



appeared at the top of a list of 18 people who have either renounced or have been deprived of South African citizenship, which was published in the Government Gazette issued

# Portuguese Parliament approves security law

Lisbon (Reuter) - The Portugese Parliament yesterday ap-proved a controversial internal security law which the Opposition had attacked as a return to an era of repression.

Although many Government deputies also expressed misgivings about the law's wide-rang-ing powers, Dr Mario Soares's year-old coalition wom comfortably because of the twothirds majority of Socialists and Social Democrats in the House. The vote was 138 to 79 with two abstentions.

Provisions in the Bill for followed yesterday's vote on the general provisions.

The Bill must be voted later



in Pretoria yesterday.

The list did not include her mother, Mrs Tossie Budd. The Gazette notice states that Zola and her father's reunciation of South African citizenship became effective from May

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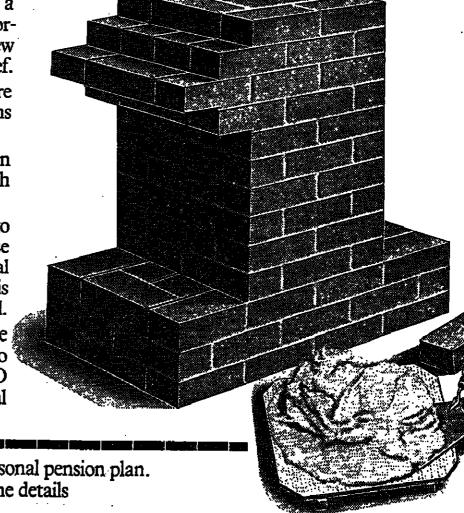
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# Blistering Soviet attack on W Germany could threaten Honecker visit

In a manifest attempt to torpedo the visit here in September of Herr Erich Honecker, the East German leader, the Russians yesterday launched a blistering attack on West Germany bitterly denouncing its latest agreement with East Berlin and the rapprochement between the two German states.

Culminating a clearly orchestrated campaign against West German "militarism and revanchism", Pravda accused Bonn of interferring in East Germany's internal affairs and trying to force the country to make concessions on basic issues affecting its own sover-

eignty.
To this end West Germany was using "economic levers and political contacts", a clear reference to Bonn's latest DM950m loan to East Berlin, which is to be matched by concessions on travel for pensioners. Pravda accused Bonn of pursuing a nationalist policy aimed at undermining the building of socialism in the

Conciliatory

speech

by Castro

Cienfuegos. Cuba (Reuter) -President Fidel Castro said

Cuba is willing to continue its

dialogue with the United States,

"imperialist

"We are ready to continue

talks about immigration prob-lems", he told a 100,000 crowd

on Thursday referring to dis-

cussions recently begun with

Rev Jesse Jackson.

Washington after the visit of the

"By force nobody can achieve

anything", he added, saying that

Cuba would support any efforts

to "lesson the dangers of war

In what Western diplomats

described as a conciliatory speech, the Cuban leader

seldom referred to Central America and made no personal attacks on President Reagan.

But he made clear his views on

Washington's policy towards Cuba. This senseless policy has

He said neither capitalism

nor communism could impose

a social change on the other

without being destroyed in the

of the terms such as "fascist"

which President Castro had

Reagan Administration, and

said he appeared more at ease

than usual during the three-

had stepped up its defences and

recruited another 500,000 men and women into the territorial

militia, taking the total to 1.2

million. He was speaking during

celebrations marking the thirty-

first anniversary of a guerrilla

attack which began the revol-

ution which swept him to power

There are fears that the long-

awaited trial of the five Turks and four Bulgarians alleged to have plotted to murder the

Pope in May, 1981 may not

reach the courts this year.

Mr Sergei Antonov, the only
Bulgarian involved who is

actually in custody here, was

arrested in November, 1982 and

like the others is still awaiting a

formal decision to be sent for

trial. Hearings this autumn had

been envisaged when it appeared likely that the decision of Signor Ilario Martella, the

investigating judge, to have the men brought to trial would have

been made by the end of this

month. There is now talk of September for this procedural

move while the impression is

growing that the prosecution's case will be far from easy to

argue, unless it can be

According to Mr Antonov's

defending counsel, there is

insufficient evidence to warrant

sending the men for trial, and on the defence's side there is a

feeling that there would be no

question of doing so if the

investigation had not become so

closely involved with political

issues, including the theory that

the plot was organized by the

Bulgarian secret services at the

behest, or with at least the

After this sensational theoriz-

ing, and the length of time

dedicated to the investigation,

Italian justice would suffer the

effects of an acute anti-climax,

to put it mildly, if Signor

Martella came to the conclusion

approval of, the KGB.

strengthened.

But he emphasized that Cuba

Diplomats noted the absence

to cease", he said.

hour speech.

but that it is better prepared than ever to defend itself

against

The charges, ominously remi-niscent of the first impressions

of Soviet anger at developments in Poland four years ago, are East Germany than at the Federal Republic.

indirect warning not to go any further in seeking better relations with Bonn, quoting his assurance to a party congress that the GDR would rebuff all attempts by revanchist circles in West Germany to keep the German question open.

The paper also ridiculed as "absurd" claims by Chancellor Kohl to speak in the name of all Germans – a claim which was strikingly made by Herr Honecker himself last autumn when appealing to Bonn over the missiles issue.

The Bonn Government deliberately played down the Pravda attack, saying it did not want to enter into a polemical argument. Herr Peter Boenisch, the ment. Herr Peter Boenisch, the Germany. "The practice of the government spokesman, said past few years does not show Bonn would not be pushed off that one can rely on such a its course of seeking under-declaration", it added.

Winning smile: Mr Venero Pagano, a pensioner, with his

wife Angelina, after he won a record \$20m (£15m) in New

York's state lottery

**Muslims defend Marcos** 

against Catholic attacks

Philippine Muslim leaders and communist activities of sterday denounced the labour and student groups.

Manila

yesterday denounced the Roman Catholic Church for

meddling in Government aff-

airs, claiming it used the pulpit

for faise and destructive attacks

church follows mounting criti-cism of the 18-year-old Marcos

regime by the church hierarchy.

Phillipines, which claims to represent all Muslim theo-logians and scholars deplored

the open support and encour-agement which, it said, certain

Agca's credibility in doubt

Mehmet Ali

still technically secret report underlines some of the more

The case is based almost

entirely on the confession of

Mehmet Ali Agca, the young Turkish terrorist who seriously wounded the Pope in St Peter's

square in May, 1981. He is

responsible for implicating all

the others. Yet the prosecutor insists on the "one great complex problem" of Agea's credibility and this after months

of a highly publicized inquiry.

That is one of the problems the

prosecution will have to face,

knowing, that Agca has on occasion lied and on two

occasions has retracted testi-

The prosecution's case is that

Agea escaped from a Turkish

prison late in 1979, went first to

Iran, which he left after the

American failure to release the

US hostages in Tehran and then moved to Sofia, where he was in

contact with the Sofia-based

It was here that the Bulgarian

that there was after all no case to answer.

Signor Anotino Albano, the public prosecutor, ended his own report with a recommendation that the nine be tried. But he makes no secret of his belief that he has a difficult case to handle. A close reading of his

Turkish Mafia.

formidable difficulties.

Sergei

Antonov

The unprecedented attack on

The Ulema Council of the

predominant Christian

against the Government.

its hierarchy, gave to anti-Government demonstrations

Government council followed

the issue of pastoral letters

criticizing human rights abuses,

the President's decree-making powers and the deployment of

"secret marshals", who have killed scores of suspected

● MARSHALS DISBAND-ED: President Marcos dis-

banded the "secret marshals"

tracks, but according to the defence, he was leaving tracks

everywhere. The nine months'

wait would be explainable if a detailed procedure had been planned. But, in the phrase of

the defence, the shooting in St

Peter's Square was "an artisan-

If one accepts some sort

Bulgarian connexion (which the defence still denies), the prob-lem remains of where the

original initiative came from: the Turkish Mafia, the right-wing extremist Turkish terrorist

movement known as "the Grey

Wolves" to which Agea be-

longed, or the Eastern secret

services. It is worth recalling

that as far back as November,

1979 Agea was publicly stating

his intention of killing the Pope.

that a vital meeting took place in March, 1981 at the Sheraton

Hotel in Zurich between Agea,

his supposed accomplice and

the leaders of the Turkish Mafia and of the "Wolves": in a word,

all Turks. They discussed an agreement with the Bulgarians

for the payment of 3m Deut-

schemarks. Later, the "Wolves"

supplied Agea with the famous

Browning revolver and it was to

the head of the "Wolves" in

Germany that Agea telephoned to have the final all-clear to go

It could be argued that the

plot was essentially Turkish

with a certain amount of

financial and logistical support

ahead with the shooting.

The prosecutor makes it clear

The attack by the

standing and reconciliation by propagandistic reproaches. He said the Soviet Union and several Warsaw Pact countries

seen here as directed more at had recently stepped up attacks on West Germany, but refused Federal Republic. to speculate on the dangers this Pravda used Herr Honecker's posed to Herr Honecker's visit. own words to give him an The Pravda article indicated that the Russians are angry that relations between the two Germanies have continued to improve after the deployment of new Nato missiles - some-

thing they long threatened would bring about a new "ice age" in East-West realations. In another pointed reproach to Herr Honecker, the paper said relations between the two German states could not be separated from the overall international situation. This had been worsened by Nato's

'crusade" against socialism.

The paper noted that the Kohl Government has spoken of continuity in its Ostpolitik and in relations with East

THE ARTS

Alfredo, the little man as hero

A Little Like Drowning

Hampstead

The Hampstead programme shows the picture of a 1920s couple dressed in their Sunday best superimposed against a dreamlike seascape. It is a good image for Anthony Minghella's play which gives you the sensation of discovering a box of old photographs in the atticate few sharp surviving fragments from lives that have long been washed away.
Mr Minghella has no great tale to tell. Alfredo marries Leonora, settles into indissol-

uble Italian Roman Catholic wedlock, and then deserts her for an English widow when she has grown fat with childbirth. Disowned by his father, he quits Italy with his mistress and moves to Dublin, where he scratches a living as a bingo caller, living long enough to see his daughter married, and then collapsing over a card game Look, the author is saying these are insignificant people and they deserve your attention. In such a case, everthing depends on the manner of presenting the evidence, and Mr Vinghella has chosen that of the memory play, conducted under the eye of the widowed old Leonora. She sits gossiping with her grandchild, and looks on moist-eyed at the reenact-ment of her disappointing wedding night (with her shame-

hand to provide the obligatory blood-stained sheet), and the marital crises leading up to the As Constance Chapman plays

her, still spry for a game of hopscotch but also inflicting cearse disclosures on her child companion, it is hard to decide whether she is an old dear or a public menace; and the ambiguity increases once the action moves outside her recollection. Here Mr Minghella shows some cunning tricks with theatrical memory, as where Julia (the mistress) sinks into Alfredo's embrace carrying a hot pan which she deposits on the grimly oberving Leonors, in whose hands it is stone cold.

There is also the trick of presenting a gradually widening gap between the events as recoacted and as seen through Leonora's fantasy. She is convinced that one day Alfredo will return to her, and in the end this self-confirming dream comes true when she regains his possessions, and his dead body, and walks into the sea to resume her rightful place beside him in a double grave.

It is a long-prepared and chillingly unforgiving con-clusion; and I wish that more of the play showed the same power of design. What it does possess is the honesty to show the contradictions and cruelties of human behaviour without pass ing judgment. But, whether or not the piece is a memoir, it seems insufficiently released from its source material to embark on a life of its own.



Young Leonora (Jane Gurnett) with Alfredo (Alfred Molina): lust, guilt and joy

for Alfredo. Alfred Molina plays overstepping the idiom of an him as a little man who Italian immigrant dealer in experiences the primary human amusement machines. Morag

So far as character is con- emotions on a heroic scale, Hood's Julia is also a remark-cerned, though. John Dove's discharging direct revelations of able study of the pains and production wins awed attention lust guilt, and joy without ever pleasures experienced by the eternal other woman **Irving Wardle** 

A mighty river

faced bridegroom slashing his

Radio

of serials pation with getting and keeping listeners is most obviously manifested in the appearance of Rollercoaster and, more recently and horrendously, The Colour Supplement. But there are more ways of keeping listeners with it than denying them the opportunity to switch off it also helps if things come t them in weekly episodes, so is it chance or design, I wonder, if recent weeks and this past week in particular have seen the start of a mighty river of series and serials, some of them in places where one-offs are the norm? As an example, Going for Broke (Radio 4, Wednesdays; director, Glyn Dearman) was the first of six in an Afternoon essential to the comedy that his

Theatre series of comedies by George Baker which is apparently threatening to devote a total of 270 minutes to the nes of John Morse (Andrew Sachs) and his one-man-and-asecretary broking business, his cowboy builder, his daughter, his ex-wife, his current highpowered woman, Good for Mr Baker's domestic economy, no doubt, but unless future episodes show a great improvement on the first - a rather modest sit-com - I don't see much in this venture for the reputation of Afternoon Theatre, which will continue to be better served by the likes of

yesterday (AP reports). For five weeks, they had been assigned agement which, it said, certain to "ride shotgun" on buses and other public transport vehicles. Peter Terson's Poole Harbour (Radio 4, July 24, director Shaun Macloughlin). This story of an approved school boy - rather engagingly played by Thomas Henderson who absconds in a huff from his Pope plot trial faces delay

holiday party into the islands and mudflats of Poole and nearly comes to grief, provided brisk, authentic dialogue and an attractive interplay of charac-ters: the lad himself looking for attention; the party house-mother bereft of all illusions about, though not of great affection for, her charges, her junior male colleague with all illusions more or less intact; the boy's improvident mother, milking her son's disappearance for every possible personal advantage and getting away

with it... On Wednesdays series succeeds series: Pride of the Parlow, a history of home music making, has given way to Folk for the Job (Radio 4; compiler and producer, Herbert Williams), anthologies of folk songs, poetry and prose associ-ated with particular occupations. It began last week with the railwayman, a rugged, romantic occupation, but one represented here by some distinctly bloodless material. It seemed that the audience at a folk club in Gwent probably

thought so too If both these Radio 4 series badly need to pick up, Radio 2 out to be one of the best things made sure that Broadway Babes (Fridays, producer, David Rayvern Allen) got off to an Tchaikovsky's Fifth Symphony explosive start which its on Thursday night will certainly presenter. Sheridan Morley, be remembered as such. may be hard put to maintain.
Taking Ethel Merman as his first subject, he left us in no doubt of why she earned the nickname "the golden foghorn". After thirty minutes of this huge, brassy voice belting out lovely familiar numbers and her

own reminiscences with equal verve, the second programme about Gertrude Lawrence prob-ably couldn't help but sound a bit pastel-coloured - atthough I suspect that last night's obeisance to Mary Martin, which I've yet to hear, will have delivered another therapeutic blast to the ear-drums.

Television

surfeit of suggestions that sex isn't over at 50 or so. Recover-Central's situation comedy, I Thought You'd Gone, written by Peter Jones and Kevin Laffan, is another indication that the and not entirely undeserving butts of British humour, they demographic shift to an ageing population has been noted. ITV obviously judge that Friday is a good night for catching the middle-aged in a reflective in his marriage, and, the following morning, one of his mood and ready for a rueful chuckle for this new series is immediately followed by Shine With this concatenation of On Harvey Moon, the subtleties

of which are perhaps best appreciated by those whose memory banks were accepting deposits in the mid-Forties. Mr Jones has sited his little essay on contemporary mores in the country to which he and his write, played by Pat Hey-wood, have fled from south London. It is the hope of Mr Jones, or Mr Bodley as he is here, that he has left behind not only his neighbours but his grown-up children and their problems. It is, of course,

hope is proved vain. Last night found the Bodleys moving in to their rustic dream with some glee and rather a

ing from the vandalism of the removal men, those well-known have to take in first the powerboat despatched to them by one son, another escaping a hiccup

disastrous events in the first episode, it is difficult to see how Messrs Jones and Laffan will continue, but experience, and Mr Jones certainly has that, has

Given that it was pretty easy to guess how things would go after the first five minutes, they did quite well with the first effort. Mr Jones's sense of timing is acute as well as practised. He understands that expressions and silences can play a part in comedy. I don't think the prospect of watching the next would deter me from a walk on a fine evening but that may be another sign of age.

Dennis Hackett

Jazz

Ella Fitzgerald Grosvenor House

I was going to say that in the Fifties, between bobbysoxer and Beatles, the name of Nelson Riddle was an infallible guarantee of quality, but of course it still is. The success of his recent: recorded collaboration with Linda Ronstadt, the former rock singer, proved that no one has more fully mastered the art of arranging the high quality popular song, exemplified by the work of of Jerome Kern and the Gershwins, and that the art

itself is practically ageless. Linda Ronstadt believed that Riddle's talent could speak to a younger generation, and she was ight, but the crowd for Thursday night's concert, the first of three at Grosvenor House in aid of the NSPCC, was in the main present to celebrate the reenacting of the triumphs of yester- year, when Riddle took a large share of the credit for some of the finest and most popular recordings of Frank Sinatra, Peggy Lee and, of course, Ella Fitzgerald.

As he took the stage in front of a large orchestra made up of British musicians, it became apparent that legends do not come very much more discreet. It took only a few minutes, however, for the force of his musical character to become apparent. During "Speakeasy Blues", taken from the score of the television series The Un-

touchables, he defined a climate that for subtlety and economy of means could be compared only to Gil Evans. The lyrical trombonist Don Lusher, the brilliant young alto saxophonist Jamie Talbot and the resource ful guitarist Mitch Dalton were among those who benefited as much as any singer from the encouragement of his fastidious

Riddle's pleasing touch with instrumental combinations and his ability to vary the internal density of the orchestra were particularly clear in his famous arrangement of "I've Got You Under My Skin" and in "Smoky Mountain Country", an exquisite miniature for woodwind and strings.

When Miss Fitzgerald made her regal appearance, it was to renew a collaboration that began more than 25 years ago. It is hard to imagine that nowadays, she could sound more comfortable and secure in any other setting. The vivacity of "From This Moment On", "Satin Doll" and "I Could Have Danced All Night" rolled back the years, counterpointed by occasional bursts of fine balladry, such as a reading of "Blue Moon" that, by creating in five minutes or so a complete universe of its own, demanded to be wrapped up and taken

Richard Williams

Promenade Concert

BBCSO/Janowski Albert Hall/Radio 3

to the Proms could well turn

Those whose ears have already followed his progress in this country, gathering in his recorded Ring or watching changes in Liverpool, will recognize his method of airconditioning an orchestra with his baton. By quickening each individual response, the corporate body becomes an extraordinarily alert, expectant channel for whatever is up his sleeve. Here, the subconscious as

well as the conscious recall of the first movement's lurching rhythms was all the sharper for their initial painstaking tenuto definition. And when Alan David Wade | Civil's horn entered the second

movement, it moved on already hallowed ground. The potency of Janowski's control of the big tune, too, owed as much to his approach to it. Rarely has the zicato shock after the timpani roll been backed by a more significant silence.

The organic energy which fuelled the finale and the long lines of insight which it carried along with it had already stimulated a revelatory performance of Prokofiev's Third Piano Concerto. And if it seemed no less a concerto for orchestra, this had as much to do with Peter Donohoe's approach as with moments of irresistible delight from the BBC Symphony Orchestra.

Donohoe's virtuosity concentrated itself deep inside the score it was the composing imagination as much as the fingers which gripped you by the throat. His central variations were a masterpiece of rapt recreation, as melancholy and audacity tripped over each

other's toes

Hilary Finch

# A skeleton in the cupboard

Corpse! Apollo

Readers of Bryan Appleyard's Tuesday Spectrum feature on this new thriller, presented by Robert Fox and Julian Sey-

mour, will have been intrigued by his remark that it all depended on one unrevealable What is it? On the first night there seemed one promising

possibility: the coincidence of the play's date of December 11. 1936. Keith Baxter's first entrance dressed as Queen Mary, and the presence in the audience of a distinguished brother of Mr Fox's who has given a well-known portrayal of Edward VIII.

Wrong. The setting (piled fascinatingly with Drica-brao by Alan Tagg) is not Fort Belvedere but the gretty Soho flat of a long-resting actor, who may only have assumed the Queen Mary persona to shoplift at Fortnum's but is generally a master of disguise. At least Mr Baxter is, who has to play both the penniless actor and his heartless plutocratic twin. With many a Shakespearean quote, including Richard III's com-parison of himself to a chameleon (which explains the creepy poster), the old ham plans to bump off his brother and steal his identity and riches. using a desperate old Irish villain (Milo O Shea) as his hit-

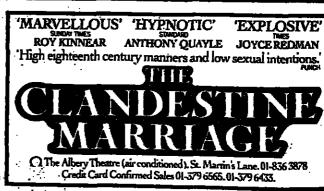
What with Mr Baxter playing both brothers, and apparently out to get Mr O'Shea, maybe one brother is impersonating the other. Or maybe the other

never exists at all? With stage blood ready to take false deaths more plausibly than in most ultra-clever thrillers, the play-wright's options are endless. And with a policeman (Richard Hampton) invading the victim's flat to sell raffle tickets, and an underpaid and oversexed landlady (Joyce Grant) pestering the would-be murderer in his lair, there is plenty that might interestingly go wrong.

Throughout an enjoyable first act, ending in a neatly sensational curtain, it seems that Gerald Moon has found a singularly artful plot to combine suspense and comedy, married only by indifferent actorish jokes that still remain from the first draft. Nevertheless, it still looks closer to Sleuth than Cowardice; then the implausibilities make themselves felt. Apart from a murderer opening the door when he might have lain doggo, there is a skeleton (roughly speaking) in the play's cupboard in the shape of a dubious passage, crucial for logically hard to explain.

None of which belittles the actors, who have a fine night. During an exceptionally complicated evening, Mr Baxter carries off at least one splendid death, a stylish Ian McKellen impersonation, a formidable study in frigidity as the heartless twin and a couple of bason-smothered blinis fragrantly cooked on stage. And escaping Miss Grant's oglinely comic attentions with difficulty, Mr O'Shea makes a lovable flustered assassin whose corpses have a surprise or two in store for him.

**Anthony Masters** 





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# **SPORTING DIARY**

# Playing for kicks

As Newcastle United contemplate the awful prospect of life after Keegan, Keegan himself is facing the challenge of playing football for the Varieties Club de France. Keegan has already confirmed that he will be available for the club's French Cup second-round match on September 16, and could make his first appearance for the Frenchmen on September 5, when his new team plays a curtain-raiser before a match between France and Inter Milan.

The team comprises mostly retired top-flight footballers, and the occasional oddball from other sports - Yannick Noah, for example. The side is run by a French television commentator, Thierry Roland, best known for his on-air remarks addressed to a Scottish referee who refused French penalty claims in a World Cup qualifier: "Excuse me Monsieur Foote", he said. "But you

### Helpings served

Martina Navratilova wants a game with Jimmy Connors. Or possibly Bjorn Borg, "but I think I would have a better chance against Jimmy". She has already ap-proached John McEnroe, but he didn't even consider the idea, and besides, as Miss Navratilova mod-estly admits, "I might have some trouble with his serve". The idea behind the proposed match across the sexual frontiers is to raise money for the Youth Foundation for Disadvantaged Children.

Sad story: T. G. Askwith won the Diamond Sculls at Henley in 1933. Now his house has been burglarized and the gobiet he won has gone. He hopes they were thieves of mercy and will let him have it back.

#### Naked ambition

It is disappointing that practically the only sport unrepresented at the Olympic Games is nude volleyball. Last year a British team contested the first European championships in the sport of nude volleyball, in which three men and three women must be on court at all times. Competitors included top division Dutch and German players (from the clothed version of the game) including a German international The Britons came third.

## Shoot to the top

Crossbow shooting has become a growth sport. Last week, the second World Field Crossbow Champion-ships were held at Dudley and won by a Finn who set a new world record as he did so. Nicholas Aston of Wolverhampton won the world junior title and his father Chris was the top Briton in the senior event, finishing thirteenth. To improve the occasion a local brewery brewed a special "Bolt Ale", while a local group helped things along by performing fertility dances.

**BARRY FANTONI** 



"Apparently, she said it was just like Moscow, but with more to buy

## True grit

Truemanisms: this time from the man himself: F. S. T. was in the middle of telling us how the Lancashire bowler Michael Watkinson was bowling incorrectly ("His head and shoulders are all wrong at the point of delivery") when Watkinson interrupted his flow by taking a wicket with the next ball. Trueman's recovery was instantaneous: Watkinson's action was fine "if he can get batsmen to play shots like that". A fiver to Barry Toberman for that one.

• War and Peace: The Imperial War Museum team was roundly defeated by the Victoria and Albert Museum in their recent cricket match.

# Face value

Could you face a get-well card bearing the face of Lester Piggott? Or a Valentine's Day card with the features of Jocky Wilson, the toothless dartist? Perhaps not, but Media Star Cards have signed up 40 sports stars, such as men like I. T. Botham, the footballer, Alex Higgins, Steve Ovett, Glenn Hoddle and virtually every bankable name one could think of. Cards contain a facsimile autograph and an entry form for a competition that gives you a chance to meet the man on the front. Frank Boyd, the managing director, declared bullishly: "We've already sold over a million cards. Pre-sales for Christmas are the biggest in the market's history." He added: "UK sports personalities are the most undersold sports stars anywhere in the world."

Simon Barnes

# D. H. Lawrence wrote the autobiographical novel Mr Noon in 1920. Only now is it to be published. In this extract, the hero has his first encounter with Germany



# Mr Noon: the lost novel

beneath them in the spring morning, the pale, icy green river winding its way from the far Alps, coming as it were down the long stairs of the far foot-hills, between shoals of pinkish sand, a wide, pale river-bed coming from far off, with the river twisting from side to side between the dark pinewoods. The mountains, a long rank, were bright in heaven, glittering their snow under the horizon. Villages with the white and black churches lay in the valley and on the opposite hill-slope. It was a lovely, inging, morning-bright world, for the Englishman vast and glamorous. The sense of space was an intoxication for him. He felt he could walk without stopping on to the far north-eastern magic of Russia, or south to Italy. All the big spreading glamour of medieval Europe seemed to envelop him.
"Na! Isn't it beautifu!?" said the

professor. "Beautiful," said Gilbert,

The bigness: that was what he loved so much. The bigness, and the sense of an infinite multiplicity of connexions. There seemed to run gleams and shadows from the vast spaces of Russia, a yellow light seemed to struggle through the great Alp-knot from Italy, magical Italy, while from the north, from the massive lands of Germany, and from far-off Scandinavia one could feel a whiteness, a northern, subarctic whiteness. Many magical lands, many magical peoples, all magnetic and strange, uniting to form the vast patchwork of Europe. The glamorous vast multiplicity, all made up of differences, medieval, romantic differences, this seemed to break his soul like a chrysalis into a

For the first time he saw England from the outside: tiny she seemed and tight, and so partial. Such a little bit among all the vast rest. Whereas till now she had seemed all-in-all in herself. Now he knew it was not so. Her all-in-allness was a delusion of her natives. Her marvellous truths and standards and ideals were just local, not universal. They were just a piece of local pattern, in what was really a vast, complicated, far-

reaching design. So he watched the glitter of the range of Alps towards the Tyrol: he saw the pale-green Isar climbing down her curved levels, coming towards him, making for Munich and then Austria, the Danube, the enormous meanderings of the Danube. He saw the white road, which seemed to him to lead to Russia. And he became unEnglished. His tight and exclusive nationality seemed to break down in his heart.

He loved the world in its multiplicity, not in its horrible oneness, uniformity, homogeneity. He loved the rich and free variegation of Europe, the many-ness. His old obtuseness, which saw everything alike, in one term, fell from his eyes and from his soul, and he felt rich. There were so many, many lands and peoples besides himself and his own land. And all were magically different, and it was so nice to be one among many, to feel the horrible imprisoning oneness and insularity collapsed, a real delusion broken, and to know that the universal ideals and morals were

after all only local and temporal. Gilbert smoked his pipe, and pondered. He seemed to feel a new salt running vital in his veins, a new, free vibration in all his nerves, like a bird that has got out of a cage, and even out of the room wherein the cage hung.

The two men went back into the village to the inn, where they sat at the bare wooden benches and ate boiled pork and sauerkraut and good black bread and mountain butter

Professor Alfred Kramer is a recreation of Edgar Jaffe (1866-1921), teacher of Political Economy at Heidelberg University and from 1910

at Munich Academy of Commerce; his speciality was banking and finance. Jaffe was one of fourteen children of a

wealthy Jewish merchant family centred in Hamburg he had rep-

resented the family textile export firm

abroad, spending over ten years (from 1883) in Manchester, m. 1902, Else von

Modelled on Baroness Anna von

Richthofen, nee Marquier (1851-1930), mother of Else, Frieds and Nusch.

3. Fran Professor Louise Kramer is a

recreation of Elisabeth Frieda Amalie Sophie (Else) von Richthofen (1874-1973), elder sister of Frieda Lawrence and wife of Edgar Jaffe. Pupil of Max Weber at Heidelberg University.

Modelled on Alfred Weber (1868-1958), professor of sociology and political science at Heidelberg Univer-

and a delicious ring of cake, and drank beer, while the peasants and farmers and foresters smoked big pipes and talked, and were festive.

After dinner they rose again.
"Now we will walk to the
Starnberg lake" and see my wife and
my mother-in-law. Yes? Shall we do
so? Can you walk so far?"

"Oh, about eight miles, eight miles. But in the wood there will be

So they set off. In the wood, as Alfred said, there was snow. Going between the great beech trees, some of which lay prostrate, there were only patches of snow. But on the paths between the great, dry trunks of the firs there was deep snow still, heavy walking. The fir-woods were dark and vast, impenetrable, and frightening. Gilbert thought of the old Hercynian forest, and did not wonder at the Roman terror. For in the dark and bristly fir-trees, in their vast crowded ranks, the dimness and the subtly crackling silence, there was something as it were of anti-life, wolvish, magical.

bad, but you will forgive me. - Well then, come and have some tea. And bread and butter. Yes, I know you Englishmen, you want bread and butter with your tea. Come then." She turned to Marta, and saw the

straw slippers. "Aber-!" But what are you doing with the pantoffles, Marta?" she laughed mockingly. "The gentleman will change his boots," said the grave-eyed peasant

"Ah - yes! Yes!" said Louise,

looking at Gilbert's wet and muddy "I'm not fit to come up either

way," said Gilbert.
"Not fit? Oh yes. Take the pantoffles. Oh, what does it matter? But there was a third occupant of the room - Professor Ludwig Sartorius, from Bonn. He was a middle aged man with a dark brown beard streaked with grey, a bald forehead, and little, nervous, irascible dark eyes. He was well dressed in the English manner, in grey, carefully tailored and booted; and he

wore a handsome tie of an orange

by D. H. Lawrence



It was dusk by the time they arrived and rang the bell.
"Ho Marta!" cried the professor to the maid who opened to him, a handsome girl. "Is the Baroness" at home? Is anybody here?"

Yes, Herr Professor. The Frau Professor3 and the Herr Professor4 Sartorius." so! All right. All right. We will go up.

Are they taking tea? So! So. We have just come right. Two more cups. Ach! Ach! We are rather tired. open upstairs, and looking up, saw a woman in a dull-green silk dress

leaning over the rails. "Ach, is it you, Alfred!" she said, in an odd, cultured voice, half

familiar, half excited. "Ho Louise! Ho, you are there," sang the little professor.
"Ja! Ja! We didn't expect you."

"I didn't expect myself - ha-ha. Nor did I expect you. Ludwig is also there? Yes. Ha! Well! How is everybody? Thou? The children." Louise was coming down the stairs, slowly. She was a very beautiful woman, with rich, pomeg-ranate colouring and a beautifully chiselled face. Her soft dark-brown hair hung rather loose over her ears, coiled in a simple knot behind. She wore a long, beautiful scarf, frail and full of dull glimmers of greens and black and dead white. She was one

long scarf draping the shoulders, a look of wearing a robe rather than a modern dress. "Ja - all well. You too? Good!" and Louise reached the bottom stair. She was looking at Gilbert. He had no more eyes for Marta, now Louise had come. The beauty of mistress, rich in colour as that of the maid, had a lovely, pure, soft-cut form, outdazzling the more oxen charm of the peasant girl. Louise

of the women who naturally have a

knew her power.
"Mr Noon," said Alfred in
English. "You have never met my wife. Well, she is here. Louise, you know of Mr Noon, I told you of him in my letter to Dresden."

"How do you do?" said Louise, in slow, but very charming English, giving her hand to Gilbert, and narrowing her beautiful grey eyes in an odd way of scrutiny she had.

And so you come all the way on foot? - Oh, my English, it is very

sity. He had been a student in Bonn, Berlin and Goningen. He was Else Jaffe's lover. Else left her husband,

gone with two other men (in succession) and 'bas a lover-a professor Weber of Heidelberg, such a jolly fellow. Her husband, also a professor, but at Munich, doesn't mind' (Letters, i. 395, 413).

5. Johann Wolfgang von Goethe (1749-

1831) wrote an early draft of scenes of his Faust in 1772-5; he probably destroyed this manuscript sometime

after 1816. But Luise von Gochhausen, a Weimar court lady-in-waiting, had

. 'Sartor' (Latin) and 'Schneider' (German) both mean 'saior'; 'sartorius' is the tailor's sitting position (OED). DHL is also alluding to Sartor

Accorded (the tailor re-patched) (1833-4) by Thomas Cartyle (1795-1881). E. Sartorius was the

Sertorius was the pseudonym of Emil Schneider (b.1839), German poet and

Who's who in Mr Noon

seated himself abruptly, only getting out the usual "How do you do," pronounced very German.

The Baroness was at the tea-table, to do it for her, as if a gun had gone off, and fumbled wildly in his wellflattened pockets for matches.

At that juncture they heard a door Sartorius," said the Baroness, pen upstairs, and looking up, saw a striking her matches calmly. "I am old enough to light my own tea-kettle, at my age -" And she peered with shrewd, rather screwed-up blue eyes at the spirit flame. It was evident there was no love lost between her and the gallant professor. He sat down looking crosser than ever, whilst poor little Alfred,

shone like a daisy.
"Ah, Ludwig," said the Fran
Professor, "tell Alfred about

HE younger professor turned and began in German in a rather snarting voice. The Frau Professor - we will call her Louise, because she is Alfred's wife, and it is shorter - settled her skirts and turned her low chair towards Gilbert. The softened light fell from behind her, and threw a shadow from her soft dark hair and her long dark lashes, upon her cheek. Marta came in with a tray, and Gilbert again turned fascinated to the full, dark, motionless face of the girl. with its unspeaking closed lips and meeting dark brows, as she stooped with the tray full under the rim of the lamp which stood on the tea-table. Mediaeval, remote, and impressive her face seemed banded above with the black plait of hair.

fine brows, and full dark-blue eyes, and pouting mouth. She watched him closely.

in a mocking voice. "Is she not

colour. Evidently something of a gallant but of the irascible sort. He shook hands with Gilbert, and

The party now settled themselves. lighting the spirit under the silver

\*Oh sit still, sit still, Professor with his pink face and white hair,

Professor. Wendolf."

Louise, sunk in her low chair, her dark-green dress with its pale, metallic lustre falling rather full round her feet, shaded her brow with her hand and watched Gilbert's face. It looked to her young, and alert, and self-possessed, with its narrow,

"You look at the maid," she said

stealing from Aphrodite to give to Gilbert sat on ignored, and began not to hear. The women were soon nsitive of this,

Gilbert had been vaguely watching, not criticising, so it was in a hadn't-thought-of-it tone he

"Quite a beautiful type. She is a

peasant from the mountains, and

she is in love with a young forester, and she will soon marry him. She

has been with me since she was

Gilbert turned to Louise. She

spoke the word lo-ove as if it were

difficult to say, dragging it out and breaking the vowel. And she was

looking up at him from under her

shading hand, half-laughing, half-

wistful, her grey eyes with their dark light looking soft and vulnerable.

German, and Gilbert followed with

a little difficulty. The big professor theorised on the one hand, the little professor theorised on the other, and

they wrangled with a noise like

tearing calico, whilst the Baroness

sat in impatience, throwing in a curt

phrase now and then, and Louise sat

in her low chair like a lovely Athena

balancing the professorial scales first

this way, then that, and seeming

passionately interested and looking very beautiful. Gilbert watched with

wondering eyes. It all seemed so strange. And why did Louise care

whether the immature manuscript of

Faust, which the great Goethe' had

commanded to be burnt and which his tender friend had not burnt, why

should anyone care whether the

world saw this manuscript or did

not see it? Care ethically, at least.

Why should this moral debate be

raging between the two professors, balanced by the beautiful woman

who was all the time stealing from

Athena to give to Aphrodite or

The conversation now lapsed into

almost a child, and we lo-ove her."

Yes, I think she is."

"Now - enough! Enough!" put in the Baroness. "Goethe should burn his own old papers. And if he didn't, then let him not mind who scrubs the pans out with them. Let every man burn his own rubbish."

"No, Mama, it is a genuine question," said Louise.

"Yes, Mother-in-law," said the little professor. My work is my intimate property - etc etc etc." We won't hear them out, as we agree with the Baroness.

"Oh yea, one can say so much about nothing," protested the Baroness. "Are you eating here?" "No," cried Louise, rising. "We

must go. "No thank you," cried Alfred. We must catch the seven-fifteen train. Louise, how are you going home?

"We came in a motor-car," said Louise, whilst Ludwig stood with drawn brows, his little eyes darting

A maid was sent to summon the car. Alfred and Gilbert watched Louise drive away with Professor Sartorius. Then they too prepared to catch the train for Munich.

"Ah, the Sartorius," sang the Baroness in her high, lament-voice, "he talks so much. Alfred, when you come to tea with me please do not climb up from the ivy on the wall to the godlike Goethe. Goethe is so autiful in himself, but not when he is torn to pieces between you and the Sartorius. Let the sartor stick to his patching, or we will call him snipper and Schneider -

It was unfortunate that the "ius" of the Bonn professor's name should always get on the nerves of the Baroness: But so it did.

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# A novel lost and found

D. H. Lawrence wrote Mr Noon in 1920-21. He had the first part, based on the experiences of a boyhood friend in Eastwood, typed and attempted to get it published separately; his English and American publishers were dubious about its brevity (and the latter, Thomas Seltzer, about its subject which might "arouse a storm of protest"). It was only published posthumously. Lawrence outlined a plan for completing the second part in the summer of 1921, and even had most of what he had written typed out, but started on his travels early in 1922

. The manuscript and one copy of the typescript of Mr Noon must have been sent to Seltzer for safekeeping about the time Lawrence and his wife Frieda left Europe. Although Lawrence later asked for them back Seitzer failed to return them.

Saltzer went bankrupt in 1925 and passed the Mr Moon materials on to his nephew Albert Boni, also a publisher. They were sold privately in 1936 and stayed in the possession of the owner until they were offered at auction in 1972 and acquired subsequently by the Humanities Research Centre of the University of Texas at Austin which also has the other typescript copy of Part L

Although Frieds recalled in private letters of 1934 and 1951, the existence of the second part she did not apparently remember who had it, and the scholarly world remained unaware that Lawrence had written more than the tiny first part, Thus Part II, which is more than twice as long, which is Lawrence's vivid recollection, slightly fictionalized, of his early life with Frieda, was unlocated - and unknown - for more than 50 years.

Woodrow Wyatt

# Teeth behind the Reagan smile

New York
In his acceptance speech at the Democratic Convention last week Mr Mondale made a bid to be the honest politician. Whoever is inaugurated in January . . taxes will go up . . Mr Reagan will raise taxes

and so will I. He won't tell you. I just did." The frank pledge sounded a good idea on the night although Americans I spoke to were surprised. But I doubt if Mr Mondale would have given it if he had guessed the extraordinary figures on the economy which were to come out the following week. In the quarter April-June the growth rate was 7.5 per cent, or more than 10 per cent before adjusting for inflation, which in the same quarter dropped to an annual rate of 3.2 per cent. Unemployment, at 7.1 per cent for June, is acknowledged to be continuing its decline. The economy is booming

and so are real disposable incomes despite higher interest rates which theoretically should be depressing both. There may be a downturn in 1985 but even that is not certain, the way this unorthodox economy is behaving. Conventional economists are in

confusion. Water is running uphill. Instead of welcoming the rapidly falling inflation the pundits have found a new set of alarm bells to warn of the dangers of deflation. Between 1929 and 1933 prices fell at nearly 7 per cent a year causing, it is

said, the Great Depression.

There are sharp falls in the prices of imported raw materials, agricultural goods and textiles. But it would be hard (though economists are trying) to make a case that America is on the verge of the bankruptcies and unemployment of the 1930s. If Mr Mondale believed that he would not be promising increased taxation.

Mr Reagan at his televised press conference on Tuesday night reasonably claimed that he saw no need for raising taxes unless he failed to get government spending down sufficiently far to more or less match tax revenues. Until this week this may have seemed improbable and Mr Mondale's honesty in admitting that tax increases were inevitable had an air of justification and of smart politics. Now, however, the deficit. benefiting from buoyant tax revenues, is another factor defying the

accepted rules. The Council of Economic Advisers has just produced new figures on the deficit. For 1984 it forecast that the federal deficit would be \$180.3bn from which should be subtracted \$58.5bn in state and local surpluses, leaving a net deficit of \$121.8bn. Still a large sum, but the council predicts that the net deficit will fall to \$118.8bn in 1985, \$105.8bn in 1986, \$92.2bn in 1987, \$57.4bn in 1988, \$21.6bn in 1989, turning into a surplus of \$2.4bn in

If the Council of Economic Advisers is anywhere near right the US deficit is much less alarming than is thought. Interest rates may continue to rise in the near future

but could be falling within a year or so. Meanwhile the ordinary American is feeling steadily better off as his income rises and inflation falls and will not be bothered by high interest rates unless they reach 15. per cent before November.

Mr Mondale will have difficulty in persuading the voter that he ought not to be feeling better off and to prepare for a doom which Mr. Mondale cannot specify and which may never occur. His promise to increase taxes seems perverse, but if he discards it he will be attacked for indecisiveness and not knowing what he is talking about.

Mr Mondale is in a similar position to the British Opposition. In both countries the governments have actually been spending more than their predecessors with their oppositions demanding that public spending should be increased yet further which can only be done either by more government borrowing or higher taxes or both. Mr Reagan credibly maintains that it was his major tax cuts which got the economy moving, and Americans will put more reliance on his assertion that he will not raise taxes than on Mr Mondale's that Mr Reagan will.

I asked my old friend Kenneth Galbraith why he still thought Mondale would win. "Because he has got the black vote, the Hispanic vote, the ethnic minorities, the unemployed vote and the womens' vote." Hmmph.

This week in New York I did my best to encourage Arthur Schlesinger Jur, whose confidence in a Mondale victory was based more on hope than fact. I reminded him that when I make a fact of the school of when I visited Springfield, Illinois, in 1952, and talked to Adlai Stevenson, to whom Galbraith and Schlesinger were active aides and speechwriters, I demonstrated to Stevenson, state by state, that he could not possibly lose. Eisenhower won by a landslide

I could be cataclysmically wrong again. The latest Gallup polls after Ferraro and the Democratic Convention showed Mondale two points ahead of Reagan. As this reversal of the trend in the polls could not have been due to the pedestrian accept-ance speech of Mr Mondale it must have been the result of the prime time television coverage of the Democratic Convention and the effect of Mrs Ferraro. President Reagan was already using his old world courtesy on Tuesday night to counter her attractions, paying her warm compliments. When asked his reaction to her accusation that he was not a Christian he replied, "I turned the other cheek".

It is not just that President Reagan's public performance is good, his current content is good. The plea of New York Democrat Governor Coomo to look behind the charm and amiability of the president may strengthen, not diminish, President Reagan.

## **Roy Strong**

# Stage directions – for the audience

There was a time when one could go the inevitable rehearsal phototo the theatre and cheerfully leave one's brains at the box office, or at least not expect to exert them until the curtain arose on some cerebraldrama. That, alas, is no more the case. One of the most remarkable changes in theatre-going over the last two decades has been in programme format. These have escalated from the post-war folded sheet into large quarto booklets which really ought to be issued with the tickets so that the contents can be assimilated before the perform-

ance. I have kept all my theatre programmes since 1948. In terms of space the story is akin to that of sale room catalogues, which also sud-denly, at the beginning of the 1960s. began to expand in size until the collection for a single year equalled that for half a decade of the 1940s. The Old Vic programmes of the Guthrie era were modest enough with their yellow outsides and within the cast list, short biographies of artists and the scene sequence. No sign of directorial polemic here.

The change, as far as I can pinpoint it rummaging through the shelves, came during the Peter Hall-Peter Brook regime at the Royal Shakespeare Company. The new approach to staging Shakespeare, under the impact of those who grew up under the post-war education system, suddenly called for gloss. It contains a crash course in European kingship. Quotes from Talleyrand, James Baldwin and Albert Camus are accompanied somewhat oddly by the note, "These short comments ...do not necessarily reflect the ideas of the Royal Shakespeare Company. They sometimes suggest an oblique or even contrary angle of vision". We are then given extracts from a conversation with the three directors, short articles on "The Cycle of a Curse", "A New Order of Kingship" and "Who is Richard II?" along with photographs of illumi-nations from chronicles, the play in rehearsal and previous productions.

What one is looking at is a revolution in the nature of a programme. Twenty years on we are so used to this that one now begins to feel quite irritated if it is not provided. The approach soon spread. Hall took it to National Theatre where again programmes are stuffed with material. Even the musical Guys and Dolls evokes an analysis of Damon Runyon's place in popular literature, his reflection of the realities of American criminal life, on Frank Loesser and the development of the musical besides graphs.

Sadier's Wells Opera as it transformed itself into ENO at the Coliseum soon followed. Pulling out a programme for their production of Massenet's Manon in 1979 I found "'Manon' and its Historical Back-ground", "The Composition and Style of Manon'". Mercifully opera programmes tend to spare us the rehearsal photographs. Interestingly the Royal Opera House has, on the whole, been shy of taking its programmes the way of an Open

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University lecture on the subject. What are we to make of all this? It seems to me to have sprung inevitably from directors who needed to put over new ideas and new concepts to an audience they wanted to capture but which they also recognized to be, by the 1960s, better educated. At their best programmes have developed as an art-form in their own right in excess of mere printed emphemera. Often their design and lay-out is extremely good, making use of an abundance of visual, historical and literary material that excites the eye and mind to what hopefully is to follow.

Above all one is delighted to have a theatrical experience cast into a broader perspective.

On the other hand there lingers the danger of what was once innovatory quickly becoming cliche. Is it really so very exciting to have all those obligatory photographs of actors in old clothes rehearsing? Do we always need to be burdened with the never-ending biographies of everyone who has contributed? In some cases this now stretches on for pages and I really cannot believe that the fact that someone was born in Birkenhead is really of much importance. Nor does one want to be over-swamped with lists of

sponsors and patrons, The result is a theatre of two if not three worlds. There are the cerebral companies providing for an intellectual audience. There is the commercial theatre fighting shy of it, conceding only a wrap-around magazine section of total banality. And, finally, there is breadline theatre where one gets handed or picks up - shades of the 1940s - a Roncoed sheet. But in that one moves in the world of the committed. In short programmes are a remarkably accurate reflection of the journey of British theatre over the last few decades into providing for what are two worlds of

comprehension. The author is director of the Victoria and Albert Museum.



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# ENGINEERING MORE ENGINEERS

Manpower planning. The very phrase smacks of Wilsonian socialism, industrial strategies, interventionism. Here is surely no policy to be taken up enthusiastically by ministers whose ambition is to get government out of micro-economic decision making and to reinvigorate freemarket operations. Yet manpower planning, after an interval of a decade, is back on Whitehall's agenda. "Inaction in the face of a balance of payments deficit of over £2 billion in Information Technology prod-ucts, and in the face of continuing shortages of skilled IT manpower, is unacceptable." That is what the report of Mr Tebbif's special committee said on Thursday. Philosophical scruples or not, such a conclusion entails central planning of numbers of university and college graduates. It requires further steps in that slow quadrille danced by education ministers and their two cumbersome quangos, the University Grants Committee and the National Advisory Body for the polytechnics and the other local colleges.

Of course the Government already explicitly plans highly qualified manpower in medicine and teaching. Elsewhere plan-ning goes on in the sense that courses are approved, student numbers allocated and teaching posts created, but in the nature of Britain's higher education system, it is done as if in a fit of absence of mind; certainly the needs of the labour market are only one influence on academic planners who sometimes still are downright antipathetic. The Government's own broad-gauge 'plan" for higher education is based on the (still hazy) connexion between the volume of trained scientists and technologists and economic success. There is a cultural battle, too, on

urging girls to break with an enervating tradition and take mathematics and applied science options in the schools.

Yet the Government's version of manpower planning too often takes on a rather negative colouring when ministers criticize the scale and quality of higher education in the humanities and social sciences. Undergraduate sociology in certain institutions has a lot to answer for, but on the available statistics it can be as fitting a preparation for the graduate labour market as a good many other less ideologically suspect subjects. Too often politicians make of the universities a scapegoat for economic failing when the evidence suggests they have, in broad measure, met the demand for qualified manpower over the years, not least in the technologies and that it is mistakes by the employers of engineers (poor salaries, bad career structures) that explain inadequacy of supply.

A virtue of the Department of Trade and Industry report is that it seeks to ascribe no blame for the undoubted lack of prescience in Whitehall five years ago when information technology courses should have been set up. They were not, and the rest of the 1980s promises a growing shortage of trained computer scientists and electrical/electronics engineers. The report prescribes a crash programme, not dissimilar from the "box-and-cox" arrangements made for teacher education in circumstances of shortage twenty years ago, except that then the universities and colleges were bribed into cooperation with extra money. The report is weak on two fronts. One is its departmentalism: are the departments of employment and education really going to sing the same song in the same which Mrs Thatcher was engaged key? The other is money. To qualitative change demanded in when earlier this week she was keep within existing spending Mr Butcher's report?

targets provision for more information technologists might have to come from elsewhere - from English, social studies, zoology or perhaps from civil engineering where, academics say, the quality of the applicants coming forward to fill available places is dropping below an acceptable

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The DTI committee confronts a specific skill shortage. Where is the committee examining potential skill shortages of the mid-1990s, in other words, the new academic courses of the later 1980s? The work of Mr Butcher, the junior minister who steered this exercise will not surely be over even after he has completed his connected study of skill shortages in information technology at the technician level. For his report opens two doors. One leads to a much more detailed flow of statistical information about the highly qualified labour market than is at present available; if that leads to permanent and expensive search contract between the Government and the Institute of Manpower Studies, it will be money well spent.

The other leads back into education, and into the review of higher education Sir Keith Joseph will begin when, shortly, he receives returns from the UGC and the National Advisory Body. Lying behind Mr Butcher's report is a lingering sense that the universities, despite their proven record of performance in supplying highly qualified manpower, have not yet grasped the depth of the economic adaptation required in Britain in years to come and the role of higher education in it. More immediate is another issue implicit in this report. Can Sir Keith really proceed with his plan for cutting university numbers and finance while at the same time securing the

### INTOLERANCE IN LOS ANGELES

The Olympic Games which President Reagan will formally open tonight will be the sixth from which South Africa has been excluded. In 1968 the International Olympic Committee decided to readmit South Africa when that country agreed to submit to the Olympic rules, but later had to rescind its invitation because "world opi-nion", with which the elderly white males who in those days dominated the IOC were rather out of touch, insisted that the continuance of apartheid in sport within South Africa was irreconcilable with the Olympic

Since then there has been no serious question of readmitting South Africa, and even the inclusion of Miss Zola Budd in the British team has been enough to draw protests from the Olympic officials of black African states. The IOC of today, though it has approved Miss Budd's inclusion and sternly condemns politically motivated boycotts, does not hesitate to proclaim itself an "anti-apart-

heid" body. That is fair enough. Apartheid in sport certainly is contrary to the Olympic spirit (if that phrase still means anything), and South

Africa has gone further towards. have been likely to had there not been pressure from other sporting nations. Whether it has now relaxation of the sporting boycott is a moot point, but Afro-Asian opinion is still overwhelmingly that it has not, and the IOC has to respect that.

The disturbing new discovery of this year's Olympics is that the boycott extends not only to athletic participation but also to South African journalists wishing to report on the events. The IOC has refused them accreditation on the weasel bureaucratic grounds that accreditation can only be arranged through the relevant national Olympic committee and, of course, it does not recognize the Olympic Committee of South Africa.

Something is wrong there. Whatever the purpose of the boycott, it is surely not to prevent the South African public from knowing what is going on in the rest of the world. If countries wish to influence each other's attitudes and policies, they cannot start by making the access of journalists to news events conditional on inter- do so.

national approval of the existing dismantling it than it would policies of the countries from which those journalists come.

That principle, after all, is normally upheld even for journalists from those parts of the world, such as the Soviet block, where the press is officially acknowledged to be a propaganda organ of the state. A fortiori, it should apply to South Africa where the English-language press, at least, has been a relentless and courageous opponent of apartheid and is constantly at odds with the government. Ironically enough, as the South African Society of Journalists has pointed out, such conflicts frequently turn on this very principle that journalists, whatever their race or opinion, should not be prevented from doing their job of reporting news events. A number of black African states, implicitly recognizing this point, do themselves admit South African reporters. Why, one wonders, has the IOC decided to be more African than the Africans?

The American government has asked the IOC and the Los Angeles Organizing Committee take another look at their to decision". They should certainly

## "CONFOUND THEIR POLITICS"

"It is the tune that counts, and the words hardly matter," an irritated spokesman for the Australian government is said to is what the words express. A have snapped in 1974 when yet another clever dick pointed out the part of Jim Hawkins for yet another unfortunate expression in the sexist and sycophantically colonial song the prime minister of the day had set his heart on as a replacement national anthem to supplant "God Save the Queen". The sentiment will undoubtedly be shared by the 20 Norwich boys pilloried in our letters column yesterday for being in virtual ignorance of the words of our own national anthem.

Not so many years ago the national anthem was inescapable in daily life. It was in widespread use as the most effective means known of clearing theatres rapidly and without panic at the end of the performance, and in many similar situations. A particularly nimble boy might often get through the exit doors and the third verse ("May she before the introductory drum-roll was over, but would be broad hint that the huzzas before the introductory drumroll was over, but would be unlikely to grow up without growing tolerably familiar with the first verse at least. Today it is to exercise their power in the different, and as our correspondent pointed out, the words are alleged bellicosity of the lines, it not taught in British schools as is mild indeed beside many other widely as the national anthems anthems. "La Marseillaise", of many other countries are in musically the most inspiriting theirs. Some teachers find re- of the genre, recommends ligious worship hard enough to brandishing the tricolour before as official anthem for some stomach, even in attenuated the dying eyes of France's twenty countries as well as ours. Investment by manufacturing indus-

form, without launching into jingoism as well.

Jingoism, for better or worse, which the Norwich auditions were being held, might have declared that he had a conscientious objection to using them, though perfectly ready to oblige with "Yellow Submarine". He would not be the first to take exception to the words: the Methodist Conference voted in 1981 to delete them from their hymnbook, and a tentative attempt within the Anglican Church to proffer an anodyne alternative was laughed out of court in 1982.

The trouble is that there seems to be no third course between the anodyne and the lustily reprehensible. The anti-Jacobite second verse of our anthem ("Frustrate their knavish tricks...") is the most vigorous, would stop pretty soon for the Hanoverians if ever they sought way the Stuarts had. As for the

enemies as their "impure blood" ebbs away. Between the swashing of buckles and insipid invocations of a new dawn, no acceptable compromise seems possible. It would be the height of cruelty to propose that the next Poet Laureate should earn his spurs by attempting it.

In relatively comfortable nations like ours, a trace of atavistic aggressiveness can pass as no more than symbolic hyperbole. In more perplexed countries the problem is harder. Germany dropped the opening lines of "Deutschland Uber Alles" (musically the noblest of the genre) after the war because of an overtone of world domination that the writer of the lines (a plea for unity in a divided people) never dreamt of. The anthem of El Salvador has acquired overtones of tragic irony:

All her sons shall be heroes immortal; They are daring, resourceful, and

bold; For their bravery is a tradition, And they fight like their fathers

of old. Whatever words are chosen they are bound to cast some unfortunate light or other. As the Australian said, it is the time that counts. No one can accuse a tune of being jingoistic; least of all our own, which has in its time served

# nation's heart

From the Reverend Father Roger Arguile . .

Need to touch a

Sir, As the publicity operation by the various overseas and charities gets under way to raise the necessary funds to relieve the victims of the drought in various parts of North and West Africa, and as churches and other local organisations plan to support them, I cannot but reflect on the unwillingness of government to take up the relief of such need

It was an economically beleagu-ered Britain which cheerfully and resolutely sent off a task force at immense cost to protect the freedom of some 2,000 Falklanders. The allocation of a similar sum to that required to send the task force might transform the lives of millions of people and free them in a way far more dramatic than the Falklands campaign.

No doubt we should not have the dubious pleasure of watching a day-by-day serial of military action; no "kith and kin" are affected; but the people of the Sahel are our sisters

and brothers, too. Such a campaign would not stifle individual effort or the work of the overseas aid charities; the need is so immense; but sitting here with a sense of almost helplessness, it seems to me that we need a new definition of freedom and a new resolution to protect it if the world is to have a chance of being a morally habitable place.

Our trivial concerns with weapons development against such a background of need make Nero seem quite an innocent chap after

Yours faithfully, ROGER ARGUILE, Team Vicar, St Bertelin's Church, St Bertelin's Vicarage, Holmcroft Road, Stafford, Staffordshire. July 23.

From the Chairman of the Disasters Emergency Committee Sir, Mrs Dines's letter of July 26 questions the ability of "inter-national" agencies to deliver humanitarian relief to the most needy victims of the famine in Ethiopia, and I should therefore like to make one thing clear.

The Disasters Emergency Committee (comprising the British Red Cross Society, the Catholic Fund for Overseas Development, Christian Aid, Oxfam and the Save the Children Fund) last week launched an appeal for the famine victims in Ethiopia and 10 other droughtaffected African countries.

course there are wider developmental questions, but the immediate humanitarian need is overwhelming. The British charities of the DEC, working through their own field staff or allied agencies, can indeed ensure that relief is delivered direct to those most in need. Yours faithfully

HUNT of TANWORTH, Famine in Africa Appeal, London, EC3. July 26.

### Music of Third Reich

From the Editor of Opera. Sir, While not disputing the fact that many Soviet writers and artists have chosen exile rather than continue to work in the USSR, I seriously question the statement in your editorial of July 17 that "the USSR is suffering a greater cultural haemorrhage than any other state has ever endured".

Memories seem to be short about the "cultural haemorrhage" suffered by Germany in the 1930s when not only writers like Thomas Mann Franz Werfel and Stefan Zweig left Germany, but such great musicians as Hindemith, Schoenberg, Krenek, Weill, Bruno Walter, Klemperer, Georg Szell, Erich Kleiber, Fritz Busch (and his colleague Carl Ebert), Schnabel, Lotte Lehmann, Elisabeth Schumann, Richard Tauber, Friedrich Schott, Alexander Kipnis and many, many more either left Germany of their own free will or

were expelled by the Nazis.

Mendelssohn's statue outside the Mendelssohn's statue outside me Gewandhaus in Leipzig was cere-moniously destroyed, and books, including the works of Heine, were publicly burned in Berlin. The works of Mahler, Mendelssohn and Offenbach were forbidden.

I have in my possession a book published in Munich in 1938, entitled Judentum und Musik ABC, whose 300 or more pages list in alphabetical order composers and performers of Jewish or partly Jewish origin who were connected with musical life the world over since the early 19th century and whose names and works were not to be performed or even mentioned in

the Third Reich.

I doubt whether a similar publication exists today even in the USSR! Yours truly,

HAROLD ROSENTHAL Editor, *Opera*, 6 Woodland Rise, N10. July 20.

### Where our taxes go

Sir, As the "radical Methodist" concerned about Church investments in South Africa and referred to somewhat disparagingly in Mr Digby Anderson's column (July 11) perhaps I might be permitted a brief "right of reply". Mr Anderson's chief anxiety

From the Reverend David Haslam

appears to be the lack of information both on Government spending and on the economic structure of Britain. I also am in favour of the dissemination of more facts on these TRACTERS.

For example, the richest 25 per cent in Britain own 84 per cent of the wealth and the distribution of income has much the same shape.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Bishops Measure. On inspection it

appears that reasons somewhat

contrary to his lead me to the same

attitude towards the defeat in

Firstly, I opposed this Measure in

Synod (which I do not recall the bishop doing). I opposed it because it attempted to make the essentially

sixteenth-century method of ap-

pointing bishops credible for the twentieth century. But the method

so clearly needs discarding com-pletely that it is better for the Church to keep it self-evidently

incredible than it is to give it

Cosmetic surgery.
The General Synod has certainly

now wasted much time and money

and energy on a measure which it

Perhaps it may now be emboldened

to try a real Measure, one which

removes Downing-Street and the

Crown from the appointment of bishops and allows the Church of

England the choice of methods of its

because it is a peculiarly useful one to the Church of England. In an area

where no harm whatsoever has been

done to the ongoing life of our Church, Parliament has exposed

itself as wholly unfit to be the last and ultimate authority in Church

In 1927 and 1928, when the two

"deposited" Prayer Books were defeated, there voted in the Com-

members and on the second 486

members. This is to show the

Commons at least concerned to be

responsible. But when Church Measures are nowadays passed, or

this case rejected, by total numbers

present and voting of less than 50, then there is clearly no moral or

theological case for the continuing of

such powers in Parliament.

If Budgets or industrial relation-

ships law were passed with over 600

abstainers or absentees there would

be a great outcry in the country.

Parliament would have lost that appeal to the nation which is the

basis for all democratic government.

Now the Commons have shown that

they are quite incompetent to govern the Church of England we

ought to be able to look for a similar

Thirdly, it seems that the actual

narticipants in the debate gave even

further hostages to the Church for

when we do ask to be free of

If Enoch Powell was chasing a subtle point of logic whilst claiming

that somehow the General Synod

was trying to undermine the royal

supremacy (for in fact the Synod was kowtowing to the supremacy), yet other members were quite trans-

parent in making speeches about the

appointment of the new Bishop of Durham - a matter which anyone

with the faintest interest in the issue

could see was either wholly irrel-

evant to the Measure in question, or,

if relevant, was an argument against the powers of Downing Street and

the Palace which were being

few more instances of its total incompetence to be the highest

authority in the land for the Church

of England. That way, more Synod minds will be emboldened to seek

what their theological hearts truly

want - a thoroughgoing indepen-dence of this secular, arbitrary and

plants. When we got into our seats again the guides admired and

Some of us went off on our own,

averting our eyes from rare plants -

only to find as we retraced our steps

It is distressing that the Greek flora should be used as a tourist

attraction with all the consequent

that they, too, had been picked.

COLIN BUCHANAN, Principal,

St John's College, Nottingham, Chilwell Lane,

Bramcote, Nottingham.

praised the bunches.

damage.

Pebmarsh Halstead,

Essex. July 15.

Yours faithfully,

The Old School,

MAUREEN DAWSON.

useless jurisdiction over us.

Yours faithfully,

May Parliament give the Church a

exercised.

parliamentary control.

mons on the first occasion

Secondly, I am glad at the result

should never have attempted at all

Trouble with a new way for bishops From the Bishop of Oxford

Sir, Your Religious Affairs Correspondent (feature, July 23) has very ingeniously tried to decipher the meaning of the rejection in the House of Commons, by 32 votes to 17, of the Appointment of Bishops sure passed by the General Synod - impressive figures indeed when settling the affairs of the Church of England! That allegedly undemocratic body, the General Synod, would have counted out one of its Houses before such a pathetic vote could be taken.

It would, however, be quite misleading to your readers to give the impression either that many shops would agree with the Bishop of Peterborough (July 21) in his applause of Mr Enoch Powell or, more importantly, that the value which we set on royal supremacy in the Church of England has anything do with the kind of supremacy" so discreditably represented by the rejection of a modest

and sensible Measure, A bishop like myself, who has twice done homage to the Queen, feels deeply his devotion to the person of her Majesty and his responsibility to her people at large and not simply to practising Anglicans, but a bishop who has also twice undergone the expensive and unintelligible farce of a "confirmation of election" knows very well that to speak of the abolition of such a ceremony as (in Mr Powell's words) "an act of wanton vandalism" is the purest moonshine.

Some members of Parliament used the occasion of this debate to air their views about the appointment of the Bishop of Durham (one which I warmly welcome); but they must either have known that the passing or rejection of the Measure was irrelevant to that appointment, or else they had failed to do the homework that can reasonably be expected of them.

The Bishop of Durham was appointed under the present system what they describe as supremacy" and if it had been desired to overturn the Church's nomination on grounds of doctrinal unsoundness this could have been done. They cannot have it both

With Mr Powell, of course, it is different: no charge of ignorance or naiveté could be levelled at him. What he has done is to constitute himself a representative of "public opinion" as far as the Church of England is concerned and from that dubious coign of vantage to attack its elected bodies.

Whether public opinion on this side of the Irish Sea has any desire to so represented seems highly doubtful, unless in the realm of xenophobia that is repugnant to most Christians, Anglican or other-

What seems sure is that if it is Mr Powell who has "raised the flag of antidisestablishmentarianism" your Correspondent says), distinctly uneasy. Non tali auccilio nec defensoribus istis Yours faithfully, †PATRICK OXON:, House of Lords.

From the Principal of St John's College, Nottingham

Sir, It is so rarely that I find myself in agreement with the Bishop of Peterborough that I am indeed, as he requests (July 21), led to think and think hard as to why I agree with him in being glad at the rejection by Parliament of the Appointment of

## Greek flora in peril

From Mrs Maureen Dawson

Sir, Though from a different aspect, I would like to add my protest to that of Mrs Moore and others (July 14) on the destruction of the wild flowers of Greece.

At the end of April I went to some of the Greek islands on a cruise in a Greek ship. We had a Scottish lecturer, and with Greek girls as our guides we were taken to special places chosen for their wonderful flowers. As we left our coaches most people started to pick bunches of the "pretty ones", even walking on the

### Grants bonanza

From Mr Noel Dolan

Sir, The House of Commons Public Accounts Committee has called on the Government to close an improvement grants loophole in England. The committee points out that private developers have been able to bypass legislation preventing them from receiving improvement grants where houses were sold rather than kept for letting (report, July

In Scotland, rather than trouble developers to look for legal loopholes, the Secretary of State actually repealed this preventive measure in 981. The result has been a bonanza for developers. In the three years from April, 1982, private landlords and developers in Scotland will have received an estimated £80m in repairs and improvement grants.

try fell from £7,058m in 1975 to £5,126m, in 1983 (1980 prices) with consequent considerable loss of jobs. There has been a fall in capital expenditure on housing of about 40 per cent between 1978-79 and 1984-

Alongside this, about 500 families

in my local borough of Brent are currently in bed-and-breakfast accommodation, where some have been for over a year. There are now in Britain 2.25 million children whose families depend on social security (parliamentary answer) which, added to the families on low pay, means three million children on the poverty line. The picture in a recent Sunday newspaper showing people scrabbling on a Messeyside rubbish tip for items of value demonstrates the depths to which our society is sinking.

Meanwhile ordinary owner-occupiers are now being told they may have to wait for up to eight years before receiving grants.

Throughout Britain the improvement grants system has been very kind to landlords, developers and those claiming "professional fees". Rather than look at individual loopholes, politicians of all parties should now re-examine the entire improvement grants system. Too much of the money allocated

for improving homes has been creamed off (legally) by developers for speculative profit, landlords improving for sale, and professionals charging excessive fees. Yours faithfully, NOEL DOLAN, Director, Shelter, Scottish Campaign for the 65 Cockburn Street, Edinburgh, July 19.

All this points to a picture of

deepening inequality and, if current trends continue, we will reap a harvest of bitterness. Mr Anderson wants us to know more about where our taxes go. I believe most people in Britain, if confronted with these kinds of facts, would prefer to pay more taxes than less, to improve health and social services and ensure deprivation is ameliorated.

If such a belief is the result of what Mr Anderson calls "utopian and socialized conscience" so be it. Better such a conscience than none at all.

Yours sincerely, DAVID HASLAM. Harlesden Methodist Church, 134 Wrottesley Road, NW10. July 24.

### Museum charge on part-time basis

From Mr John Morley Sir, One sees entry fees for the national museums move a step nearer. It already costs a person from the provinces a very considerable sum in fares to visit a national museum in London; this factor should be taken into account.

May I suggest a compromise between the noble traditions of free entry and the demands of commer-

This is that charges could be imposed for the six months of the tourist season; free entry should obtain for the six months of autumn, winter and spring.

Such an arrangement is eminently practical - much more manageable than free days, etc. - and it would also have the advantage of fitting in with the demands of the academic year. It might also help to avoid the bitter polarisation of opinion and the alienation of potential donors that occurred when charges were previously imposed.

Yours faithfully, J. H. MORLEY, Director, Art Gallery and Museums and the Royal Pavilion, Brighton,

#### Meeting M Blériot

From Wing Communder Bentley Beauman, RAF (read) Sir, Referring to the celebrations today (July 25) of the seventy-lifth anniversary of the crossing of the Channel by M Bleriot I thought that

it might be of interest that I had the

good fortune to meet M Louis Bleriot during the winter of 1913. It happened like this: I had obtained the Royal Acro Club pilot's certificate at Hendon in June, 1913. I was then told that there would be a long wait before civilian pilots could enter the Royal Naval Air Service or the Royal Flying Corps. At the same time I learnt that M Bleriot was offering pilots in my circumstances 10 hours' flying time at his flying school at Buc, near Versailles, for £50, which, as it included breakages. was a very reasonable and interest-

ing proposition. So in December, 1913, I made my way to Buc, via Paris. I then discovered that one of the first aero shows was being held at the Petit Palais and it was there I met M Blériot, who was showing some of

his aircraft. He received me most warmly and gave me a great deal of useful information about his flying school at Buc and how it operated. Subsequently, during my 10 hours' enjoyable flying time there, I found his machines comparatively easy to fly and suffered only one minor

Yours etc. E BENTLEY BEAUMAN, 59 Chester Row, SW1. July 25.

## Wrong note on trumpet

From Mr J. F. S. Phillips

Sir, On page 14 of today's issue (July 25) you publish a picture of Screeant Trumpeter Frederick Knight, of the 21st Lancers, along with one of his trumpets which sounded the last charge by a British cavalry regiment on September 2, 1898, at Omdur-

Your caption includes the misinformation that the young Winston Churchill took part in the charge against an estimated 4.000 Dervishes under the leadership of the

Mahdi. The Mahdi, Muhammad Ahmed Abdullah, died in June, 1885, five months before the fall of Khartoum and the death of my great-greatuncle, General Charles Gordon. I shall, if God wills, be lecturing on

the subject in Egypt next month.

The Dervish forces at Omdurman were commanded by the Khalifa Abdallahi, who succeeded but never claimed to be the Mahdi, a title with a very special meaning in Islam and the Sudan.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant, J. F. S. PHILLIPS. Southwood, Gordon Road, Horsham,

### Camera shy

West Sussex.

July 25.

From Lord Thomas of Swannerton and others Sir, In your issue of today you state

that the Lords' Committee on Sound Broadcasting will propose an experi-mental period of six months for televising the proceedings of the Lords, and you suggest that in the debate on that report in October or November there will be little opposition to the idea. We think your readers may like to

know that there are a number of peers, from all parties, who will continue to oppose this unnecessary and undesirable experiment. Yours faithfully,

THOMAS of SWYNNERTON, BELOFF. CHALFONT

DACRE of GLANTON, DEAN of BESWICK, GLADWYN. PEYTON of YEOVIL STODDART of SWINDON, House of Lords. July 26.

### Off the handle

From Mr P. d'A. Willis Sir, Is your American correspondent (July 26) unaware that a Gentleman has no need of handles with which to shut his own front door, a wife or servant usually performing this function? Yours faithfully.

P. d'A. WILLIS The Oriental Chib Stratiford Place, W1.



# **COURT AND SOCIAL**

## COURT CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE July 27: Mr W K K White was received in audience by The Queen this morning and kissed hands on his appointment as British High ommissioner to Zambia.

Mrs. White had the bonour of

being received by Her Majesty.
His Excellency Dr Gerhard
Lindner was received in audience by The Oncen and presented his Letter of Credence as Ambassador Extrabrdinary and Plenipotentiary from the German Democratic Republic in the Court of St James's.

His Excellency was accompanied by the following members of the Embassy, who had the bonour of Being presented to Her Majesty: Dr Gerhard Liebig (Counsellor), Mr Klaus Krupke (Acting Commercial Counsellor), Mr Hans Zabel (First ecretary) and Mr Georg Menzel

Sir Antony Acland (Permanent Under-Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs) who had the honour of being received by The Queen was present, and the Gentlemen of the Household in

Waiting were in attendance.

His Excellency Senor Nestor Coll and Senora de Coll were received in farewell audience by The Queen and took leave upon His Excellency relinquishing his appointment as Ambassador Extraordinary and Distinct the Company of the the Court of St James's

His Excellency Dr Rezso Banyasz and Madame Banyasz were received in farewell audience by The Queen and took leave upon His Excellency relinquishing his appointment as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the Hungarian People's Republic to the Court of St.

Major William Phelps had the honour of being received by The Queen and took leave upon his retirement from service in the Royal Household as Superintendent of the Royal Mews, when Her Majesty invested him with the Insignia of a Commander of the Royal Victorian

The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, attended by Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Gibbs, left Gatwick Airport - London this afternoon for the United States of America, where Her Royal Highness, as President of the British Olympic Association, will attend the Games of the XXIII

Olympiad. Her Royal Highness was received at the Airport by Mr Patrick Bailey (Airport Director) and Mr Alastair Pugh (Managing Director, British Caledonian Airways).

The Queen was represented by Vice-Admiral Sir Peter Ashmore (Master of the Household) at the Memorial Service for Lord Adam Memorial Service for Lota Analast Gordon (Extra Equerry and for-merly Comptroller to Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother) which was held in the Chapel Royal, St James's Palace, today.

The Queen was represented by Mr Robin Leigh-Pemberton (Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Kent) at the Memorial Service for the Lord Astor of Hever (formerly Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Kent) which was held in Canterbury Cathedral this afternoon.

CLARENCE HOUSE July 27: Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother was present at the Memorial Service for Lord Adam Gordon which was held in the Chapel Royal, St James's Palace,

KENSINGTON PALACE July 27: The Prince of Wales this morning at Kensington Palace received the Lord Montagn of Beaulieu (Chairman, Historic Build-ings and Monuments Commission) and Mr Peter Rumble (Chief

The Prince of Wales, Colonel-in-Chief, The Royal Regiment of Canada, later received Colonel D. S. Beatty (Honorary Colonel) and a Veterans of the Regiment. KENSINGTON PALACE

July 27: The Princess Margaret, Countess of Snowdon, Grand President of St John Ambulance Association and Brigade, was present this evening at an "After The Races" Party held at Cumber-land Lodge, Windsor Great Park, in aid of St John Ambulance in erkshire. The Hon Mrs Wills was in

Her Royal Highness was represented by Major The Hon Sir Francis Legh at the Memorial Service for Lord Adam Gordon which was held in the Chapel Royal THATCHED HOUSE LODGE

July 27: Princess Alexandra was present this afternoon at the Annual Horse Show and Tournament of the Metropolitan Police at the Mounted Training Establishment, Imber Court, Surrey.

Miss Mona Mitchell was in

The Queen will embark Southampton on August 2 in HMY Britannia, which will cruise the Western Isles, and will disembark August 10 at Aberdeen, winese e will open the new bridge over st 10 at Aberdeen, where the River Dee on the way to noral Castle, The Queen will open the new bridge at Kylesku, Sutherland, on

Tomorrow is the third anniversary of the marriage of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

A memorial service for Sir Noel Hutton, QC, will be held in Christ's Chapel of Alleyn's College of God's Gift at Dulwich, SE21, at 2.30pm on Thursday, September 20.

A service of thanksgiving for the life of Mrs Barbara Warley, Head-mistress of The Croft House School, will be held during the Michaelmas Team. The governors wish to announce that Miss June Phillips will continue as acting headmistress until a new appointment is made. Mrs Carl Foreman wishes to thank all those who wrote to her or sent messages and flowers on her recent

them all personally in due course.

ment. She hopes to reply to

# Judaism and the Jenkins factor

family and community rituals

and folk-customs that could

together with identity, of Jewish

spiritual as well as cultural

dimension, even though their

observances may be staunch.

Hence the almost complete lack of awareness of theological

problems among the religious as

orthodox Jewish establishment,

let alone a capacity to engage in inter-laith dialogue other than

ment, is the poorer for this

virtual absence of serious mutual stimulus. To accept

Sinai as a matter of faith, and a

law-giving pregnant with all detailed elaboration that Jewish

historical experience has since

precipitated or may still precipi-

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, younger son of Mr and Mrs C. V. L. Marques, of Culverwood House, Hertford, Hert-

fordshire and Anita elder daughter of Mr and Mrs H. J. Haines, of Cliff

Cottage, Cookham Dean, Berkshire.

The marriage took place on July 26, at the Church of The Holy Road, Daglingworth between Lord Banbury of Southam and Miss Lucinda Trehearne. The Rev Edward Hiscox

The marriage took place on Saturday, July 21, 1984 at Farm Street Church, London, W1 between Mr John Bailey and Miss Melodie Ama Hosowicz, only daughter of the late Mr Henryk Hosowicz and Mrs Margaret Hosowicz.

The marriage took place on Friday, July 20, at Richmond-upon Thames between Mr Nigel Graham Maw and Miss Gill Hunter (née

at a facile level.

Mr N. D. R. Marques and Miss A. C. Haines

Marriages

Lord Banbury of Southarn

Mr J. Bailey and Miss M. A. Hosowicz

Mr N. N. Graham Maw

The Bishop of Durham's bapthe self-discipline necessary to tism of fire will remind some of implement these become the controversy that rent the accepted as a son of "Abraham accepted ac traditional wing of the Anglo-Jewish community and made national headlines twenty years symbolic meaning of the re-ligious rhythm of Jewish life, even as tradition holds that Abraham himself "recognized ago, regarding the orthodoxy of Rabbi Dr Louis Jacobs, Dr Jacobs had reaffirmed, in modernist terms, the insistence of Maimonides that since the his Creator" at the age of three. intellect is God-given, Judaism demands the highest intellectual address of which the individual Orthodox Jewish education penerally fails to leaven such legends as that with a sophisti-

Jew is canable. The Jenkins affair has highlighted the challenge of intellectualism to Christianity, which lemands neither doctorates nor O levels, but rather faith and baptism; but which must nowadays deal (in England) with a church membership many of whom have received secondary and higher education and nearly all of whom watch such television programmes as David Attenborough's Life on Earth. All this is at a time when many are beginning to take more seriously the social challenge of Christian ethics from within and of Marxism from without, practical response to which, if it is to be spiritually complete, should be academi-

cally informed.
Jewry's magnificent response to the social demands of Jewish teaching has been implemented. mainly - but by no means exclusively - within its own community. For unlike Christianity, Judaism is a birthright. It is extendable to anyone born a gentile who can, through faith, accept its terms of reference, familiarise himself with the symbolic language of its law and institutions, and - commanding

Forthcoming

and Miss A. Sawrey-Cookson

The marriage will take place shortly in San Diego, California, between Geoffrey, son of Sir Alan and Lady

Cottrell, of Jesus College, Cambridge, and Arabella, daughter of the late Mr Alistair Sawrey-Cookson and Mrs Sawrey-Cookson, of

The marriage will take place today at St Anne's Church, Kew Green,

Richmond, Surrey, between Mr Christopher Axworthy and Miss Ileana Ghione.

The marriage of Brendan Boyle and Joy Nelson, both of Windrush,

Gloucestershire, will take place at St Peter's Church, Windrush, on

The engagement is announced between Mark Erik, only son of Mr

and Mrs E. Johnson, of Monkseaton and Elizabeth Tyrrell, only daughter

of Mr and Mrs J. A. Crozier, of Seaton Sluice, Northumberland.

marriages

Dr G. A. Cettrell

Mr C. Axwerthy and Miss L Glaione

Mr B. D. A. Boyle and Miss J. C. Nelson

and Miss E. T. Crozier

Sentember 29.

Mr M. E. Joh

intellect as is assertion of a virgin birth. our father". But the born Jew So it is perhaps worth inquiring what are some of the must also discover his own faith in order to appreciate the

pitfalls besetting conventional Jewish religious thinking today. Physics might in the future dispose of "big bang" theories and prove a steady-state cosmos. For Jews (or Christians) to ignore that possibility and rely on a "God of the gaps" is a poor actuarial risk. And although neither will feel it necessary to cation that might help sixthformers find them meaningful. controvert claims that God is Not surprisingly therefore, dead, each has to explain why despite the richness of Jewish so many of its adherents behave

as if He were.

inculcate in the young awareness of Jewish identity and, to accord an "adult" humanity the exercise of free will, or formulas based on belief in a future messianic age when - hey presto - all will see the light, are slick answers. What if the values, the intellectual elite of Jewish youth (as well as their "Judaism" of the masses proves seniors) often regard their to be no more than gut-reacheritage as lacking a theological tion? As a corollary of a divine practical attachment to its covenant sanctioning Jewish peoplehood, gut-reaction has to be theologically justified: otherwise it is mere ethnicism. The mediaeval Jewish philosophers well as the lay leadership of the understood that the terms of reference of Judaism's "oral law" must embrace not only the dietary do's and don'ts and the sabbatical minutiae of micro-chip age but also an address to social realities such The Jewish community itself, no less than the gentile environas intensified cultural pluralism, genetic engineering, and the moral blackmail of strikes and

Such theories as God's need

lock-outs, no less than facing conceptual challenges. Jews also have a problem specific to themselves. The ashes from Hitler's gas-chambtate in the space-age, is as much ers cry out for theological

Dr F. Caraboth and Dr R. Pollen

Mr A. M. Collins and Miss N. J. de Klee

Auchnacrang, Isle of Mull.

Dr W. H. von Ledochow and Miss V. M. Canning

The bride was given away by her father, and attended by Sophie Keenan, Laura Meston and Henry

Cheape. Mr Peter Collins was best

The marriage took place at Marylebone Register Office on July 27, 1984, between Dr W. H. von Ledochow Count Ledochowski, and Miss Victoria Maria Canning, daughter of the late Major Ofiver Francis Cecil Canning and Mrs Maria Canning.

blood of Abel. Yet a Jewish theology cannot be based on martyrology, nor be deemed obsolete because of restored statehood,

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successfully built a new career.

He was educated at Maribo-

his film career finally took off

melodramas which gave him

made him into a star was The

Man in Grey, in which he took a

also with Margaret Lockwood,

The Seventh Veil proved to

voted Britain's top box-office

Mason had become increasingly

his popularity he departed for

splendid Rommel in The Desert

1953 production of Julius Caesar helped to make it one of

the best screen versions of

followed in similar vein.

prophetical assurances of return and age-long yearning for Zion. Judaism must accept the responsibilities of statehood when the historical situation calls for it, and every Jew must subject the State of Israel to the most stringent ethical scrutiny that Judaism knows, while searching for a theological justification for Israel's existence that tran-

scends Jewish self-interest. To point to the perpetuum mobile of intense religious observance in Israel begs the question. Israel's standard of social justice (for its own nationals) need fear no comparison. But the challenge of Jewry's tear-stained history is to attain an empathy with others that can embrace non-Jews who refuse to acknowledge Israel's

Israel is - naturally - world Jewry's darling, but few Jews are concerned with its theological meaning. And selfcongratulation on Israel's material achievements easily transmutes into sin crouching at the door - the idolatry of selfworship against which Deuteroas being sick of self-love.





Name in the news: Julia Somerville, aged 37, who has joined the team of news readers presenting BBC Television's Nine O'Clock News. She was previously Labour Affairs

Correspondent for BBC Radio.

### Science report

# Counting the growing costs, and benefits, of satellite sensing After satellite communi- The main benificiaries, by radar sensors) which is not. posits. Its importance con- anyone who was willing to pay, him to Hollywood and his tions and weather forecast- which have included Britain. But the main attention is on times to grow for locating. In future, the service will be

Oxford class lists

The use of satellites for weather forecasting is taken for granted nowadays. What is not so widely recognized is that meterological satellites are a member of a wider family of spacecraft developed for so-called remote sensing applications. They cover operations such as mineral exploration, fisheries surveys, oceanography, crop forecasting and pest monitoring, mapping and land use planning.

ing, those activities form the most useful operations for civilian purposes in space.

However, the technology of remote sensing which allows the different tasks to be done has become a matter controversy. The reason is simple. Its main benefactor, for 15 years, the American National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Nasa, has reduced the amount of development in this field.

and the other European countries, are now having to pay for the next stage of

development themselves. Remote sensing depends on the quality of aircraft, highflying balloons or satellites, up to 4,000km above the surface of the earth, to sense radiation from the land, the sea and the atmosphere, and thus "see" both light which is visible to the naked eye and infrared and microwave radiation (detected

observations from spacecraft. The idea emerged over 5 years ago as the brainchild of Dr William Pecora, late

director of the United States Geological Survey.

As more sensitive instruments have been taken into space, by a series of spacecraft called Landsatz, remote sensing has been used to acquire statistics on crops in developing countries, and to locate petroleum and mineral de-

ources below the surface and for monitoring the health and development of forests.

The United States Geographical Service sold the photogaphic data cheaply, to cover the price of making prints and postage. The American service maintained a policy of open dissemination of earth resources data, under which all civil remote sensing recordings were available to

cut back. The British Government has responded by an-nouncing this week the establishment of a national communications network for distributing satellite images for science and industry, run by the National Remote Sensing Centre at Farabo-rough, Hampshire. In ad-dition, work is sponsored for radar sensors for the European Space Agency's first remote sensing satellite.

# Memorial services



## (Who knows what it'll cost tomorrow?)

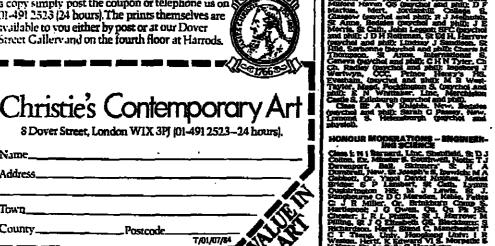
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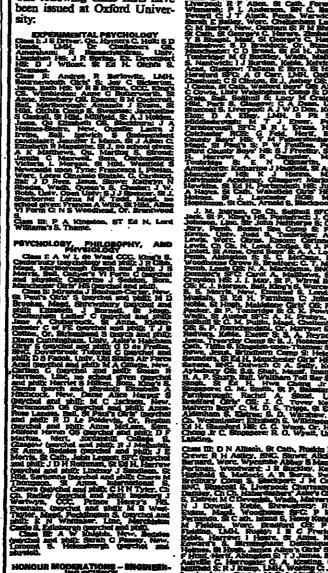
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Pepper and Air Chief Marshal Sir Neil Wheeler read the lessons and Sir Reginald Verdon-Smith gave an Among those present were:

### Birthdays

TODAY: Dame Joyce Bishop, 88; Mr William Clark, 68; the Earl of Cromer, 66; Professor R. C. Curran, 63; Sir Horace Cutler, 72; Mr Kenneth Durham, 60; Sir Peter Green, 60; Mr R. B. Henderson, 55; Charles Mr R. B. Henderson, Sir Maurice Holmes, 73; Lord Murray of Newhaven, 81; Dame Murray of Newtonyea, 41; Danie Rosemary Murray, 71; Mr Riccardo Muti, 43; Sir Humphrey Mynors, 81; Sir Roger Mynors, 81; Professor Sir Karl Popper, CH, 82, TOMORROW: Professor Patricia Carle, 65; Mr Justice Michael Davies, 63; the Dowager Duchess of Devonshire, 89; Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Ervine-Andrews, VC, 73; the

Right Rev Eric Gordon, 79; Lord Grimond, 71; Mr David Horner, 84; Professor Owen Lattimore, 84; the Marquess of Normanby, 72; Miss Marguerite Pereira, 63; Sir Eric Riches, 87; Viscount Ridley, 59; Lord Scarman, 73; Mr Mikis Theodorakis, 59; Lord Weinstock, 60.

#### **Old Hodgsonites** The Old

Association's



In his capacity as reporter and commentator, he watched

Hodgsonites twenty-first annual dinner will take place on September 17. Write for further information to Mr Turner Bridger, Tudor Odiham, Hampshire, Cottages,



Star, died at his home in Steyning, Sussex, on July 24, at the age of 82. He joined the Star as its first editor when the newspaper was founded in

of Sconthorpe, founded the number of years of Scunthorpe

Mr James Mason, who died yesterday in Lausanne, Switerland, at the age of 75, was a highly intelligent and creative cinema performer who appeared in more than 100 films. And though many of them were unworthy of his talent he could lift the poorest material just as he could enrich the best. He made a reputation in parts calling for moody and tyrannical introspection, notably as Ann Todd's sadistic guardian in The Seventh Veil, before maturing into a versatile and depend-able character player. One of his best performances came under Sir Carol Reed's direction in 1947, when he

MR JAMES MASON

Versatile cinema talent

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played a dying gunroan on the tragic decline, for which be run in Belfast in Odd Man Out. gained an Oscar nomination. gained an Oscar nomination. He brought the same nervous Soon afterwards, expressing his intensity to the part of a drug disenchantment with the British addict in Bigger Than Life cinema, he left for Hollywood (1956), a film which he also where, after a difficult start, he

James Mason was born in Huddersfield on May 15, 1909. The best of his later roles was Humbert Humbert in Stanley Kubrick's film of the Nabokov the son of a textile merchant. novel, Lolita, which appeared in 1962. To his portrayal of a middle-aged man's infatuation with a 12-year-old girl, Mason brought a degree of sympathy, combined with wry humour, rough and Peterhouse College, that few other actors could have managed. With Odd Man Out. screen achievement.

Three years earlier he had been a memorable villain in Alfred Hitchcock's North by Northwest and had given an engagingly tongue in check performance in an adaptation of the Jules Verne story, Journey to the Centre of the Earth. He maintained a prolific output through the 1960s and 1970s, making two and three films a year, though many were routine assignments easily, and perhaps

best, forgotten. There was still, however, much to relish. His Timonides in The Fall of the Roman Empire was a bright spot in an through a series of costume otherwise dreary epic and he had good supporting parts in the opportunity to create a The Pumpkin Eater and as memorable gallery of suave and vicious villains. The film that Gentleman Brown in Conrad's Lord Jim. He added to his stock of German officers in The Blue Max (1966) and in the same whip to Margaret Lockwood; Fanny by Gaslight, They Were Sisters, and The Wicked Lady, year he was in Georgy Girl, a story of the "swinging sectios", and a John Le Carre thriller, The Deadly Affair.

In 1969 he turned producer again for Age of Consent, directed in Australia by Michael be the most successful of all and from 1944 to 1947 Mason was Powell; but a long-cherished Powell project, The Tempest, with Mason as Prospero. star. Among those who admired his performance in The Seventh proved abortive. The martinet Yorkshire father in Spring and Veil was the veteran American director, D W Griffith. But Port Wine was a tailor-made unhappy with the films he was bing offered, and with what he part, there were more Germans in Cross of Iron and The Boys saw as a monopolistic strangle-hold on the industry by J Arthur Rank; and at the peak of From Brazil and a well judged Mr Jordan in the fantasy, Heaven Can Wait. He was superb as the old tutor recalling his days in India in James It was to be some time before the move paid off. Mason's outspokenness did not endear Ivory's Autobiography of a

Once he became established him to Hollywood and his in films, Mason returned only occasionally to the stage. He happy. He appeared in two was in an unsucc films for the emigré director, way play, Bathsheba, in 1947, Max Ophuls, Caught and The and during the 1950s played Reckless Moment, and made a Angelo in Measure for Measure and Oedipus in Oedipus Rex at Fox while his Brutus in the the Shakespeare Festival in Stratford, Ontario.

His marriage to Pamela Kellino, which produced a daughter, Portland, and a son, But it was not until 1954 Morgan, was dissolved in 1964. when he played opposite Judy Garland in George Cukor's re-make of A Star is Born that he His second wife was an Australian actress, Clarissa make of A Star is Born that he Kaye, whom he married in managed a major performance, 1971. His autobiography, Before a harrowing study of a man's I Forget, appeared in 1981.

tsey's School. He studied at the

Euston Road School and pri-vately under William Col-dstream for whom he held

lasting esteem. He continued as

a painter of landscape and still

this year's Summer Exhibition at the Royal Academy. His

work has a quiet meditative

quality with a deep feeling for gentle light and colour.

He had an interest in the

life. Two of his pictures hang in

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## MR PHILIP MATTHEWS

Philip Matthews RWA, the painter, died on July 23 in Bath Hospital. He was 68 and had been ill for some time.

He will be remembered chiefly for the service he gave to Camberwell School of Art and Crafts as a teacher and later as Head of the Department of Fine Art until he retired in 1981. In the then Junior School he gave, just after the Second World War, invaluable encouragement to young students from 14 years upwards as a teacher of General Studies. In his own words "The senior members of the Painting School staff, Passmore, Claude Rodgers, William Coldstream, Tom Monnington and others would file through, 'Good morning Mr Chips' they would

invariably say".

Later, as Head of Department he kept alive the tradition unique to Camberwell of sober figurative virtues and made it a kind of bastion for painting from nature when it was so unfashionable to do so. Harold Philip Matthews was born in 1916, the son of Harold

Matthews, and went to Daun-

concept of peace and was at one time an organizer in the first Aldermaston Marches. He had a broad and catholic taste in literature and was amazingly well read. He was also an expert on jazz and ragtime music. In appearance he cut quite a

figure with his jutting beard and colourful scarf at his throat, having an old-world courtesy with a certain gallantry. He was sensitive and intelligent and his opinions were clear cut, original and often witty.

He was an extremely friendly person and will be remembered with great affection by all who

### MR W. E. PLOWRIGHT

Mr William Ernest Plowright, former editor of the Scunthorpe

and often directed the development of the rapidly-growing steel town that passed through infancy and adolescence in less than a decade. His views on the social and economic progress of the town were always firmly expressed and widely respected. He was actively involved in

early arts societies number of years of Scuntherpe second wife in 1934. He died in

fight to get the club Football League status. He left the Star in 1966 after 38 years as editor, and retired to Steyning in Sussex near the home of his actress daughter Joan Plowright - Lady Olivier.

He leaves a widow and two other children. His cidest son Robert is Head of the Music Department at the City Literary Institute, London, and a Professor at the Trinity College of Music. David is managing director of Granada Television.

Elizabeth Lady Clifford of Chudleigh, widow of the 12th Baron Clifford of Chudleigh, died on July 22. She was Mary Allotment Association at the Elizabeth, younger daughter of outset of the Second World Str Adrian Knox, KCMG, and War, was a director for a she married Lord Clifford as his



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28 JULY-3 AUGUST 1984 A WEEKLY GUIDE TO LEISURE, ENTERTAINMENT AND THE ARTS

Tomorrow the privileged followers of the sport of princes gather at Windsor for their annual bash International Day. Tim Heald traces the game's

pure pedigree and the current state of play

It could almost have been Kipling. Not quite "the hard dusty Umballa polo ground" but hard and dusty all the same so that the "account" but hard and dusty all the same so that the "come-and-go of the little quick hooves" sounded like the US cavalry in an old Western and raised smoke at the gallop. No carriages or dog carts or ladies with parasols at Smith's Lawn, Windsor, but a clutter of horseboxes; a Rolls, a Ferrari, and a retired major wearing an harassed expression wearing an harassed expression and brown cordurory trousers. Out on the great field, 300 yards long and 160 wide, eight players and eight ponies shoved and sweated, turned on sixpence, tore breakness after one tore breakneck after one another, and strove mightily to strike the little white ball through the opposition goal

posts.
"At its best", the major said, wincing as one of the players loosed off a more than usually violent expletive, "It's wonderful speciator sport whether you understand it or not. At its worst it's like village cricket great fun if you know the people involved so you can say 'the squire's been bowled for another duck' or 'my brother's muffed a sitter'." He paused "Anything in between", he said, "is just a lot of people cheming." "is just a lot of people charging about and shouting at each

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Tomorrow will see the best charging about and shouting that son has to offer: "International Day" sponsored by Cartier, at the

Guards Polo Club in Windsor Great Park England play the rest of the world; the England second team, including the Prince of Wales, take on Spain. A very great quantity of champagne will be drunk, much of it by people who wouldn't recognize a high-class piece of military influence. I have dugabashi even if they were watching the game and not majors. There is Willy Lloyd of gawping at the occupants of the course. And The Times's own Royal Box. No one seems polo correspondent, John entirely sure whether it's a Watson, is a major too. So like Ascot or Henley.

times as many people play Real chairman and five deputy Tennis. Even if you count chairmen of the Guards Club. children who compete in pony club teams there are no more than 600 players in Britain. In Argentina, by common consent the leading polo country in the bin Talal played at number one world, there are thousands of in a team which otherwise players and matches consistently draw large and knowledge colonels and Windsor Park able crowds. In the past consisted of the Prince of able crowds. In the past Argentinians and their ponies were regular competitors in the English season but the Falklands put paid to that.

Yet foreign polo players still bulk large on the British scene. Many of the "patrons" (pronounced as in le patron mange ici) who sponsor their own teams are from abroad - men like the Canadian Galen Weston and the German Christian Heppe. Both are life members of the Guards Polo club's polo manager, Major Willy Lloyd (he of the harassed Willy Lloyd (he of the harassed that there were some in the polo ace player will sometimes play on a pony which can give of its words carefully, that "over 25" than was good for them. best for only half a chukka and the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, tule the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, the himself, individually, is not faint-hearted. For example, the himself, individually, is n

ethnically Anglo-Saxon".

Apart from rich foreigners, and it is inescapable that this is

an expensive pastime, there is also a breed of international player known in polo argot as the hired assassin". It is not done to talk about polo players done to talk about polo players as professionals. In the old days of the Argentinians if you called one of them a pro it was a duelling matter. Nevertheless there are a number of very good players with high handicaps who earn five-figure sums from private or commercial sponsors. They are professionals in all but name.

For years British players were overwhelmingly military. The game's origins seem to be Persian (though as past Times writers have discovered you invite a shoal of letters from White's and from Schools of Byzantine Sindies if you venture into that area of speculation). But it was the Army who first tried it out in Britain when the 10th Hussars took on when the 10th Hussers took on the 9th Lancers at Hounslow. In 1847 the first polo match was played at Hurlingham (then a pigeon shooting club) and Hurlingham remained polo's HQ until the Second World War. The game is still run by the Hurlingham Polo Association but has nothing to do with the Hurlingham Club. It is now at Midburst in the heart of Cowdray country, and no polo is played at the three famous pre-war London venues — Hurlingham, Ranelagh and Rachamoton Rochampton.

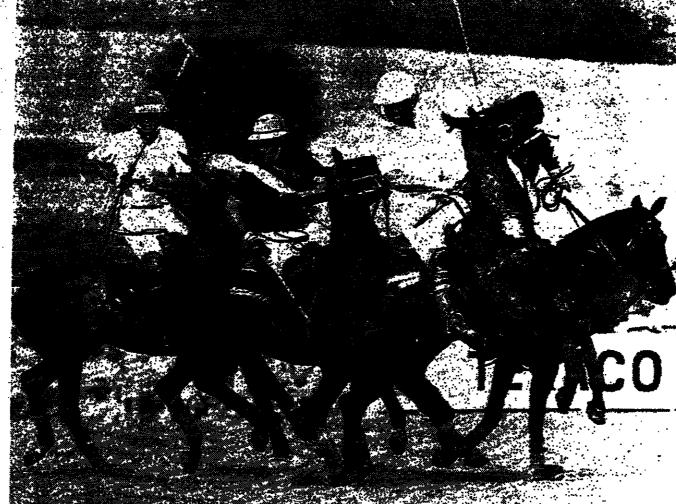
Some cavalry officers still contrive to play polo but standards have slipped. For one thing soldiers are a lot busier than they used to be and they no longer have the time. Even at the Guards Club they will tell you that only about 15 per cent of the members are present or

retired officers.

And yet a brief foray into this seldom encountered so many Ronnie Ferguson, Prince

connotations or vice versa. Just Charles's old mentor and the director of International Day. Polo in this country is a tiny
The polo manager at Cirenminority sport. About five cester is a major. So are the vice Earlier this year the Royal Polo Club of Jordan played Windson Park for the Codorniu Cup. HRH the Crown Prince Hassan Wales, Captain Cockell and Major Hunter and Major Paton.

It does sometimes look like a world of galloping majors even if, statistically, the majority is a minority. It is slightly odd to find this type of person so involved in commercial sponsorship and so susceptible to wealth - old and new. One major, who did not want to be identified, said he thought there were a lot of very bad hats in the polo world. The word he Club and Mr Heppe presented used and which stuck in my the club with its Royal Box. The mind was "spoiled" and the implication, quite clear, was



Cowdray Park, involving the Mexican stat, Memo Gracida, the highest handi-capped player competing in Britain, his brother Carlos who captains the Rest of the World against England tomorrow and New Zealander Graham Thomas. Tramontana, Carlos's team, beat his brother's Les

times and stuffy.

many polo players, especially

those who do not have a great deal of it (relatively speaking!).

but who are automatically

regarded as millionaires just

because they happen to play the game. Some unfashionable country clubs have quite modest subscriptions. You

could be a playing member of the new Anglesey Polo Club for £15 a year (as against £800 for

the Guards). You could, at least

as a novice, ride club ponies. If

content to compete only in "low

The reason for this is that

ponies lack the stamina to play for more than one chukka (each

game is divided into seven-

and-a-half-minute chukkas). An

must own more.

Diables Blens 11-10 in extra time. Above right: Britain's best-known player, the Prince of Wales, who played back for Les Diables applauds the victors. On his right is Les Diables's longstanding Guy Wildenstein, and on his left, Memo tend to be straw, functional or not worn at all. Pimm's Number One is a preferred

tipple but as Howard Hipwood demon tipple but as Howard Hipwood demonstrates (below right) champague from a gold cup is a finalist's reward. Hipwood was on the losing BB's team against Southfield in the Cowdray Gold Cap for the British Open Championship but polo tradition is that the losing side gets first lp. Tomorrow, Hipwood plays at back r England against the Rest of the World.

only a man with a big string of just to buy Manchester United Conversely there are those who think that elements of the polo establishment are behind the horses can manage that. Read but to play for them too.
Kipling's splendid story, "The Not that there will be any mes and stuffy. Maltese Cat", and you will see passengers tomorrow. The The question of money irks that the poor infantry regiment lowest handicap in the England

buy a team but

he is unlikely

have only three horses apiece. top team will be six. That is Each horse has to play Lord Charles Beresford, scion of two chukkas. The smart a famous polo playing family. "Archangels" have six apiece so The Captain is Julian Hipwood, that theirs are constantly fresh. handicap nine, 38 years old and In Kipling the Archangels lose, a lifelong player who was first but in real life one suspects they spotted and trained by a famous would not. Serious players have Indian player, Rao Raja Hanut to be well mounted. Prince Singh. Hipwood, who was once Charles, for instance, has 13 on the books of Bristol Rovers ponies (mostly home produced); Galen Weston has 22.

you are a farmer you may be able to feed and stable your horses more economically than if you are a city banker who has them at livery (probably a minimum £50 a week). A relatively unambitious player, goal" polo, can make do with only three ponies, but if you hope to compete in "high goal", which is the top grade, you

(his brother Howard, also in the team, was with Swindon Town), looks a natural athlete who In other sports would have excelled at any a rich man can game. He is one of the few class players who wears a protective face mask. Another is Prince to play in it. Charles who has done so ever Not in polo. since he hit Hipwood in the face

The handicap-ping system is suffered no ill effects, organized on a The reluctance of other collective basis players to protect their faces has by adding up the team total. The worst players have a handicap of minus two, the best have 10. It is possible for a rich player with a handicap of, say, one, to surround himself with high handicap stars and actually play at the highest level even though he himself, individually, is not really in that class. It is pather as

the game". And Prince Philip, who once wrote that umpires, close friends off the field, were "mutton headed dolts, totally ignorant of the simplest rules of the game" has described it as 40 minutes of flashing sticks, galloping ponies, curses, bumps, shouts, hits to warm the heart and misses to chill the spine".

To an outsider, it is, in and out of the saddle, indescribably baffling. It is also indisputably glamorous. There is a wonderful climax to "The Maltese Cat" when the entire match collides with the goalposts (goalposts are still required to be collapsible under the rules of the game) as the "Cat's" gallant rider scores the winning goal. Then the bands strike up with "Zakhme Bagan" and "Ooh, Kafoozalum! Kafoozalum! Kafoozalum!" and Besides all these things and many more, there was a Commander-in-Chief, and an Inspector-General of Cavalry, and the principal veterinary officer in all India, standing on the top of a regimental coach yelling like schoolboys, and brigadiers and colonels and commissioners, and hundreds of pretty ladies joined the

chorus". It would be fun if tomorrow ended like that. But that's Kipling And real life is seldom





# It's never too late for some masterly strokes

The earlier you learn the better you will play. Many of the best British players like the Hipwood brothers started with their lead and the best bear who had been considered to their case. local pony club, (in their case the Vale of the White Horse). If your particular District Commissioner is not keen on polo and some aren't – then write to
Pony Club Headquarters at the
National Equestrian Centre, Stoneleigh Park, Kenilworth, Warwickshire (0203/52241). Anyone interested in seeing youngsters playing the same might like to go to the tournament at the Kirtlington Park Polo Club (see below) on August 1. There are 25 teams competing from 10am to

With the

An adult beginner could do a An acult beginner could do a lot worse than contact Peter Grace's Rangitiki Polo School, Wood Hall, Sunningdale, Berkshire (0990/20399) Mr Grace, an experienced player with a highly successful team sponsored by Piaget Watches says he can teach granter. He is even can teach anyone. He is even trying with Demis Roussos! For £50 you can have an inaugural lesson, starting off standing on a chair and swinging a stick. Even if you have never ridden before Mr Grace says he will have all but the utterly incompetent playing rudimentary polo within hours.

Another famous school is run by Major Hugh Dawnay in Ircland. The address is Whitfield Court, International Polo School, Waterford (353-51-84216). Major Dawnay is



The chakka's delight: Window shopping at The Polo Shop in Cowdray Park

author of an instruction book called Polo Vision (J. A. Allen, The Horseman's Bookshop, 1 Lower Grosvesor Place, London SW1, £12.50 plus £1.20 pep). The polo "bible" still remains a book called *Polo* written by that enthusiastic player, the late Lord Mountbatten, many years ago under the pseudonym "Marco". if you want to contact a club directly, the leading once include: The All Ireland Polo Club, Phoenix Park, Dublin (01776248).

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health risks, but the future looks brighter, as Tony Samstag reports

# Eat, drink, swim and be wary

water effluents" in mind tourists. Although the place had already Poison Although the place had already been notoriously pestilential for centuries, and was to remain so and from oil refineries meet and for several more, it required all mingle with the sewage; four of the linguistic alchemy of mod-ern science to transform the - the Nile, the Rhône, the Po indescribable into words that and the Ebro - carry, with fall almost benignly, dry as dust, numerous smaller systems, a from the lips of academics.

Today's sun-seeker is equally unlikely to set off for a Mediterranean holiday with visions of fecal coliforms and streptococci dancing in his head. This year's tourist population will probably total, as usual, about 100 million, effectively doubling the resident coastal population over the short holiday season. But some of those transients, at least, are bound to carry as unwanted baggage a vague suspicion that the Mediterranean may be hazardous to their health.

They are absolutely right about that. The latest word from the scientists, however, while confirming many of our worst fears about the uncleanliness of Mediterranean waters, is also cautiously optimistic. It is still possible to see Naples, even to swim there, and live.

First the bad news. About 85 per cent of the sewage from 120 coastal cities is discharged into the sea with inadequate treat-virtually landlocked, with the ment, or none at all, and most nine-mile-wide Strait of Gibraloften close to the shore line.

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Whoever first exhorted the That output, appalling enough jaded traveller to see Naples to begin with, is of course and die almost certainly did not increased beyond any hope of have "raw municipal waste- control by the annual influx of

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#### "Twenty per cent of Mediterranean beaches are unsafe"

tural and industrial waste that far exceeds the contribution of the coastal cities and towns. About 120,000 tons each of mineral oils, nitrogen and phosphorous, 60,000 of zinc, 100 of mercury, 3,800 of lead enter the sea each year. As much as a quarter of all the world's marine oil reliving world's marine oil pollution, most of it from merchant shipping, may end up in the Mediterranean. The most recent estimates are

that 20 per cent of the Mediterranean's beaches are unsafe for bathing, although "unsafe" merits careful definition. And the general view is that most of the region's shellfish, contaminated by bacteria, are unsafe by any definition. Because the sea is tar its only inlet and outlet, even if all pollution stopped tomorrow, it would take at least 80 years for the waters to renew themselves. And, at present rates of growth, in the next 40 years the resident population could increase fivefold and the

number of tourists double. The United Nations scientists who study the pollution patterns of the Mediterranean most closely are duty-bound to report their findings as diplo-matically as possible, so that no



We do like to be beside the seaside: Scientists are now more optimistic about the cleanlin

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country will take umbrage (and ose valuable tourist income) by singled out as "dirties than any other. The UN Environment Programme, Unep, has mapped 13 obfuscatory "regional divisions" for sampling purposes; armed with metres of data and a computer it is just about possible to work out which areas are more or less salubrious. But the reckoning is perforce vague and, if taken at face value, would mean writing-

The good news is that there is the consequences of their more room for manoeuvre than mistakes. They follow, almost the bare statistics might suggest.

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Polluted Areas

Civilizations have been polluting the Mediterranean, after all, as long as man has lived there, ancient Rome must have Because the generated, via the Tiber, a fair amount of sewage, and the

If the native peoples of the Mediterranean have survived and even flourished in all that muck it is not only because they off every one of the most have developed some immunity popular European coastal resorts between the Balearies and have learned how to cope with

canals and lagoons of Venice

have been renowned for their

putridity throughout the city's

the tourist to learn.

capacity of seawater is almost infinite - the open ocean is hardly the natural habitat for bacteria that have adapted happily to a sheltered life in the inner sanctum of the human gut pollution by sewage is almost by definition localized and short-lived. As the microbes disperse they succumb rapidly to the combined effects of salinity, sunlight, cold, dis-solved minerals and even predators - natural marine micro-organisms that eat them. Some scientists think it may be only a matter of hours before

the hostile marine environment

"inactivates" any number of invading germs. Unfortunately, the flow of sewage into the Mediterranean is so continuous that the cleansing power of the sea can never quite catch up.

Unep and the United Nations World Health Organization spent five years collecting and studying 12,500 water samples from 700 stations in 14 countries to reach their conclusion that three quarters or more of the Mediterranean's beaches are relatively safe, microbially speaking

Applied to the same data, the stricter EEC criteria would reduce the percentage of safe beaches by half, to 37. It all

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depends on what you mean by "safe".

One danger about which the organizations are unanimous is that of contaminated shellfish. Oysters, clams, mussels and the like are worst offenders; being filter feeders, they extract nourishment from seawater by passing it through their bodies, concentrating bacteria, viruses and chemicals in their succulent flesh. Even those few shellfish that come to market in an unsullied state may freshened" on the stall with bucketfuls of almost certainly polluted seawater. Crustacea shrimps, lobsters, crabs - have different feeding habits and

Less than four per cent of the stations monitored by Unep and WHO were considered to be safe for shellfish. EEC standards, curiously, would increase the figure 10-fold, to 40 per cent; but the potential consequences of a mistake (typhoid and cholera, for example) are so dire that the percentage might as well be nil. One man who should know takes a refreshingly insouciant

view on the matter of holiday health: Dr Stjepan

#### "You can catch the same 'diseases' in distilled water"

Keckes, who runs Unep's Regional Seas Unit, likes his seafood and he likes his daily swim. He has seen his home town of Rovinj in Yugoslavia, develop into a popular tourist resort in one of the "dangerous" areas of the region; yet he still swims there, a few metres upcurrent of the local outflow.

He is cynical about some of the horror stories, especially where swimming is involved. The swimmers may have eaten tainted shellfish, he says. Or they may have eaten perfectly clean shellfish - or anything else - to excess. ("I know of one who ate 40 oysters and then blamed the Mediterranean when he got sick.")

As for diseases spread by

swallowing scawater: "Uthkely. Polio, for example, does not survive in the sea: it spreads in swimming pools." Some "diseases", he argues, can be caused by pathogens naturally occur-ring in or on the body that spread to the wrong places when the body is immersed for too long or at too great a depth. You can catch the same 'diseases' in distilled water.

Inevirably, the differing EEC and Unep/WHO standards will be brought into line one day. Meanwhile, the really good news concerns mercury levels he the Mediterranean, also the subject of a Unep study involving more than 2,700 fish samples, 700 mollusos, and 600 crustaceans. High measure levels have always, occur naturally in the region and the scientists found no significent differences between cultiv levels and those in some -

They concluded that present women, perhaps, should go easy on the tuni but otherwise there is little danger. from mercury, however froquent or extended the visits There is even some talk now of abandoning present restrictions on maximum mercury levels in fish altogether, although direct discharge of mecury by industry would continue to be forbidden. Unep, not always the most effective of the United Nations

agencies, has been campaigning since its formation in 1972 for a cleaner Mediterranean. On paper at least it has achieved remarkable success: every Mediterranean country except Albania has been pressured wheedled and cajoled into a formidable network of protocols, treaties and conventions committing them in principle to refrain from fouling the sea.

The stumbling block as always, is money: cleaning up Alexandria's sewerage system alone would cost about £200m. with some justification that through their good offices the Mediterranean is, if nothing else, degenerating a bit more slowly into the world's largest

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#### Safety rules

 Never, under any circumstances, eat raw shellfish. They are perfectly safe if well cooked. Crustaceans, either cooked of raw are probably safe but if you are prone to hypochondria give them a miss too.

Avoid swimming near the cantre of town; in any harbour, in front of your hotel, or anywhere the water looks unusually cloudy or the shore is very littered, if the beach in front of your hotel looks inviting, find out where the

wastes are discharged before you take the plunge. In exceptional cases it may have a drainage pipe that goes well out to sea. If not, move upcurrent of the outlet. Carnes, Nice and Monaco, alone in the Mediterranean, are safe for virtually the entire length of their

swim, find out where the locals

 If you are still worried, have polio, typhoid and perhaps cholera shots before the holiday.

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tains and flower beds, battered statues, and hidden corners. The Villa Cimbrone is still privately owned, but if you find someone at home, you can pay a small sum and wander around the garden, where from the steep hillside you can look down on the neighbouring villages, or from the terrace out

to the sea. From the Hotel Palumbo, an

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above Amalfi

to taste the quiet

pleasures of a small Italian town

The Palumbo is one of those eccentric English lord who bought the place in 1904 (it was then owned for some time by the equally eccentric suggestion

> other guest staying - an American novelist with whom we had struck up a conversation in the dining-room when an elderly gentleman came in and

He was M. Pasquale Vuillecentury ago. His brother owns the Villa Cimbrone. The other outstanding villa in Ravello belongs to the American writer, Gore Vidal. The town's cosmopolitan character is reflected in the Palumbo's visitors' book Wagner's signature is preserved

including Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman.

M. Vuillemier makes his own wine, Episcopio, which earns him very little money, he says, but wins all sorts of quality with particularly good seafood risotto and crespaline, and

Ravello is evidently popular in summer, when the Palumbo is always full. But it would never have the crowds and bustle of Amaifi, down on the coast. There are only a few shops, bars and restaurants and few tourist traps, unless you count the pottery and cameo shop on the main square.

Local buses are cheap and reliable, and it is a short ride down to Amalfi and the neighbouring village of Atrani, both charming places with old streets and houses, small beaches, shops and some good fish restaurants. Further on is Positano and a few miles further on, Sorrento, which is bigger and more commercia-lized. Inland there is rugged but beautiful walking country.

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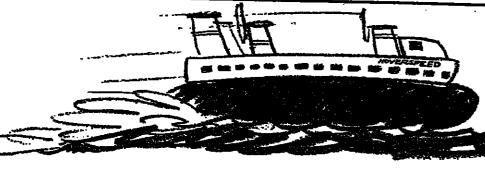


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Its two main tourist attractions, the Villa Rufolo and Villa Cimbrone, both of which date from the thirteenth century or earlier, are curiously shambolic monuments. Rufolo is supposed to have inspired Wagner during his composition of rare hotels that makes you feel Parsifal, while the beauty of instantly at home. The hall, cimbrone is attributed largely with its hand-painted tiles on to the restoration work of an the floor, marble pillars and

art lover Edward James). Their gardens have no formal magnificence, but ramble round creeper-covered stone walls and arches, with occasional foun-

even older building, there are similar views across the bay, as magical in the early morning when the fishing-boats seem scarcely to move across the sea as at night when the lights of Salerno sparkle in the distance. walls and some rather foxed old prints as well as fine antique On the November evening that we arrived, there was one

introduced himself as the

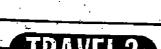
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Margot Speight looks behind the orange blossom to find how the

Sicilian people are building a new life in Mafia country

# In pursuit of recreation on an island of ruins



Sicily. When most people see the name, they think "Mafia". Then they think of sunbaked ruins, puppers in armour, dizzying baroque facades, golden beaches, Ema spewing fire, the grimy Spanish grandeur of old Palermo and so on.

That sort of tourism is all right if you don't mind meeting mainly hotel clerks and tourist board guides. But now there is an alternative package. With the Centro di Cooperazione Turistico Sociale you can learn about modern Sicilian life in the Mafia country around Partinico. CCTS will show you plenty of Greek ruins, and also the work of Danilo Dolci, the social reformer and writer.

The train ambles along a calm coast, pausing at stations that smell of orange blossom. To the left loom dark, abrupt mountains; on the right the sea, rufiled by cat's-paw winds, fades northwards into the blue Mediterranean haze. Between them lie acres of vineyards, and jerry built flats sprout among tumbledown villas and churches.

Cristina, the CCTS's sec-retary, will meet you at Partinico station in her decrepit Fiat, and rattle you through streets razed by council workers; before an election, the town's politicians often show a sudden concern for the drains and other amenities. Meanwhile the jobless voters loiter outside the cases among squads of parked motorbikes.

Via Chieti is too new to have their new freedom become a neighbourhood yet.
Fifi (Filippo), Rubino, trim,
short, sixtyish, with round
cheeks and fwinkling brown
eyes, built number one. Via
Chieti helped by family and
friends in Partinico's modern
style of breeze blocks held
together by cream-coloured together by cream-coloured

rendering. Fifi was a cycle mechanic, and still mends a few bicycles in the ground-floor garage. An old soldier in Danilo Dolci's war on poverty, he is the mainspring of CCTS, having persuaded 10 or so other families to join his cooperative; in western Sicily cooperation is an alien idea. He and his wife Anna, their children Franco and Antonietta, and the dog live on the first floor. The airy, stone-flagged guest rooms and a sparkling clean modern bathroom are up a flight of concrete stairs, with a

kitchen, living room, and balcony for long-term guests.

Behind the garage is the CCTS committee room, almost filled by a ping pong table covered with information handouts and ashtrays. Here Fifigathers his tourists, Swedes, Britons, Finns, Germans, most of them green students and some older people. He launches into a quick account of his life. He was a bricklayer at 12, supporting his family, then a racing cyclist until he lost the Fascist party card required for entering races; then, as a pacifist, he knocked out his own

teeth to avoid conscription.

The Mafia, eradicated by the Fascists, reestablished itself near the end of the Second World War, and gained control of the civil irrigation and much else. Fifi joined the communist party, took part in Danilo Dolci's non-violent protests, and with him and many other party, took part in Danilo
Doici's non-violent protests,
and with him and many other
Partinico citizens landed in jail.
Danilo's purpose was to teach

the desperate peasants how to ally run vineyard of Nino protect themselves and each other from hunger, corruption, and violence. The many-tentacled enemies were then (and still are) the regional and municipal governments (dominated by the Christian Democrats), the police, the big landowners, the Church, the code of silence, and the all-pervasive Mafia.

The inveducated presents side and protect themselves and each and explore Trappeto, where Danilo, then a young architect, began his campaign in the early 1950s.

There were no jobs in Trappeto, no sewers, no free

The uneducated peasants did not know what a reservoir was. Ever practical, Danilo showed them how to build one (with state-supplied funds and labour) and use it for irrigation without Mafia "help". It took them 17 years. Now this crazy intellectual's dream is an incontrovertible reality: the lato Dam.



The midwife, not the parent, of

The dam lies in a wide valley enough of this jade-green water to keep the vines alive during the growing season, for the dam's old enemies make sure that four fifths of its source water runs unhindered into the funds for maintenance.

But the Iato Dam, though only part-operational, has changed a seemingly unchangeable ruins of Selinunte, an archaeolsituation; nor is it now the only ogist's heaven. In Partinico you democratic, non-Mafia, reser-

Lunch at number one, Via pays a number visit to his Chieti, is minestrone, braised fennel, salad, fresh oranges, and pale yellow wine. Then Franco chivvies you off on another tour, perhaps to the unfinished Doric temple at Segesta built aging miracle-worker tells the five centuries before Christ and bardly changed since. Or he midwife not the parent of their hardly changed since. Or he



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recommended. Full board at the Rubinos cost 17,000 lire. This included all tours, seminars, translators, chaperones and entertainment (mostly) ally run vineyard of Nino

There were no jobs in Trappeto, no sewers, no free water supply, no clinic, no food. Education was confined mainly to the catechism. In those days the fishing had been ruined by Mafia boats using dynamite. Danilo staged a hunger strike on the beach, and he and his unarmed followers also held a work-in on a road needing repair, refusing to be unemployed. They were arrested. In jail Danilo interviewed every prisoner; set free, he wrote books about it. Help and money poured in from all over the world, and he built a house, the Borgo di Dio on a hill

overlooking the tov The Borgo is laid out like a medieval monastery with a garden in the centre, planted with eucalyptus and spiky agaves. Here seminars and international conferences pursue social and educational studies alongside the peasants who organize and use the self-supporting Borgo as a "people's university".

CCTS like their tourists to visit another of Danilo's dreams, the Centro Educativo di Mirto. There were only 10 children here not long ago, but now there are more. After years patchworked with vineyards it of Danilo's negotiations the is less than half full; there is not government in Rome has finally recognized the school as an

CCTS also visits the medican spend an evening at the or already exist.

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Tunch at number one, Via

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midwife, not the parent, of their new, alarming freedom and responsibilities. Even with much help from philanthropic

and religious groups, the centro is chronically short of money. Supper at the Rubinos generally includes mounds of blazing ally includes mounds of blazing hot pasta with olive oil and tomato sauce, and thinly sliced anbergines deep-fried and served with lemons. Later old friends drop in - at an evening party you meet other CCTS families and their guests.

Cristina shows her lovinely

Cristina shows her lovingly photographed slides of villages, temples and markets; Fifi plays his favourite tapes, the bitter-sweet songs of the resistance. A huse prize a suincione is huge pizza, a svincione, is carved up and passed round, while Franco fills your plastic cup with innocuous-looking wine, and Anna and Fifs sit close together and earlie with close together and smile with hospitable pride at everyone. You stagger off to your hard Sicilian bed feeling like one of the feeling. the family.



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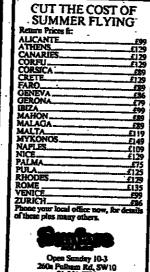
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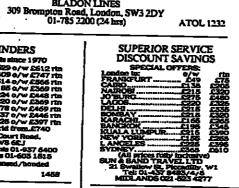
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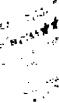












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dic soils, and there are only a few varieties which will tolerate conditions short of ideal. In a moist, acid soil well charged with organic matter they produce magnificent effects in the spring and summer.

At this time of year, they should not be neglected, for although they have finished flowering, they are preparing for next year. Make sure they are kept as moist as possible (bearing in mind any watering restrictions that may be in force). Rhododendrons are not deep rooted and they are among the first plants to suffer in a drought, showing the flagging symptoms typical of softer plants: the leaves droop and hang almost vertically. An overhead syringe at the same time as water at the roots will help. Once the plants have been watered, a mulch should be

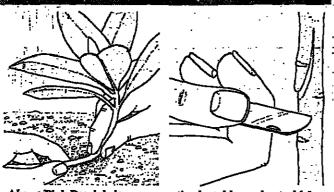
Flower heads should be picked over and removed to make way for new shoots and tidy up the plant. Each flower comes from a terminal bud, and when the flower dies new shoots begin to form at the base of the inflorescence. By carefully bending the inflorescence sideways away from the buds it will break off above the new shoots.

A weather eye must be kept open for pests and diseases, which should be attacked immediately. For the most part rhododendrons are not prone to scrious problems, and when attacked usually throw off the effects quickly. The main problem occurs when they are planted in unsuitable soils, reduced by whatever means when the leaves begin to turn available.

Seedy story

Spartium junceum, better known as Spanish Broom, does not transplant. Plants should be raised from seed, then grown in pots until they can be planted into permanent sitions. Although some have been moved as bare-rooted plants, the chances of success are small. Seeds are easily raised by sowing direct into 3in pots, which should be placed outside but not exposed to baking sun. A further potting-on into a Sin pot will be needed will be needed to sustain it until planting-

The shrub's main attribute is its ability to accept exposed sites



Above, Pink Pearl; below, propagation by taking a shoot which easily touches the ground and cutting its stem below a node Propagation of the true breeding species (but not the hardy hybrids) can be by seed,

sown in the autumn, very thinly

in pans of acid peat. Most seed

is viable and there should be

Koelreuteria paniculata is a lovely

autumn tints of almost clear vellow

Flowers are formed at the end of

terminal shoots usually high up the tree which is just in flower now. The

In the early years, the plant is straggly, but, as it matures, it forms into an open-topped tree which

casts a medium shade. It is a hardy

tree which likes to be situated in the

sun. Plant away from shade of other trees and make sure the

panicles of flower may be 12in

flowering tree, with attractive foliage which provides beautiful

good germination.

Tree treat

ellow, usually as a result of lime-induced chlorosis. A dose of Sequestrene is a good shortterm solution, but in the long term soil alkalinity should be

where the soil is generally not good. Once established, it accepts the worst the weather can throw at it. Although plants do not live long they regenerate very quickly, producing masses of viable seed which scatters to the wind. Little or no attention is required once planted. It flowers on wood made during the current season so

any pruning considered necess should be done in early spring before growth commences. Spartium junceum flowers from early July to September. Yellow pea-like flowers cover the bush and provides colour at a time when other shrubs are not at their best. Leaves are few and linear.

of propagation for the average gardener is layering, which, though slow, results in few failures. Select a supple shoot, which can be sent down to the ground without cracking. There should be at least nine inches from the point of contact with the ground to the shoot's tip. Prepare the ground by forking it over and adding acid peat to make the soil open and spongy, and two ounces of bonemeal per square yard. If the ground is heavy, add sand as well.

Prepare the shoot by making a cut through its stem at the point where it touches the ground. This cut should be made from just below the node (the joint from which the leaves arise) which is to be put into the prepared soil. Cut no more than half-way into the stem, then upwards past the node through the centre of the shoot. The cut should be the same length above the node as below it. leaving a "tongue"

Insert a sliver of wood, such as a matchstick, into the cut to keep it open when the shoot is pinned into the soil. Apply an ample covering of one of the hormone rooting powders re-commended for hard-wooded subjects all over the cut end on the surrounding surfaces.

Place the shoot in the prepared soil, making sure the cut is well below the surface, and fixing the shoot very firmly with pins. The layer should be ready to

detached from the parent plant in about 18 months.

Ashley Stephenson

ground is not waterlogged. It does not do well in ground which is heavy, or which lies wet during the

Koelreuteria is said not to be a long-lived tree, and although this may be so compared with oak or yew, it will last for at least 50 years. Make sure there is room for it before you plant. It requires little attention and, although untidy in appearance, pruning should only be carried out as a last resort. The wood in the early years is soft, so areas where strong winds are common should be avoided. Treesare available from Notcutts and Hilliers and will cost about £15



# Cottage plants in a manor house setting

Vita Sackville-West was enchanted by the tangle of cottage gardens, writing in 1938: "You have only to motor through the country districts to observe that every little cottage has its front garden overflowing with

Margery Fish, creator of the 24-acre garden at East Lambrook Manor in Somerset, was also devoted to the cottage garden, Francis Boyd-Carpenter eventually moved into the fifteenth-century manor house after her death intending to maintain the garden much as his sister-in-law had devised Planting was to be abundant even riotous, and formality kept

The confusion that follows

from such planting is in keeping with the setting, giving the impression of planting grown delightfully out of control.

As in the best cottage gardens, the structure at first seems amorphous. But the little stone paths winding their way between shrubs and perennial plants do so within fairly well designated, if not absolutely netric, areas.

one corner of the longish plot. A small malt house, sporting climbing plants such as clematis, wisteria and fig. is situated centrally. At the back of the manor is the only really formal area – a lawn dominated by a huge variegated maple, a herb garden and a long herbaceous border.

By the back door is one of my favourite plants, Euphorbia Wulfenii, giving out its wonderfully nutty smell from flower heads long past their best.

From here the terrace garden

rises gently, its walls packed with aubrictia and saxifrage, with wild strawberry and Vinca major and Welsh poppy infiltrating even the smallest cracks in the stone paying. There is a small avenue of topiary, a dozen or so of clipped

Fletcheri It leads nowhere in particular, other than past densely planted beds of ger-aniums, Astrantia major, Agapanthus, and delicate fennel. Behind the house is a dry

stream bed where variegated

Chamaecyparis Lawsoniana

irises, their flowers having run to stately seed heads. There are also dense clumps of Solomon's seal and the massive leaves of Lysichitum americanum, which flowers early in the year. Valerian, that most affectionate of weeds, romps about and roses scramble into old apple trees and drip their delicious frag-

hostes flourish alongside flag

rance on the breeze. East Lambrook also houses a fine collection of hellebores, making this garden one which needs to be visited in the early spring as well as high summer.

Michael Young

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A half moon had risen, shining silver with a hint of mist at its edges, by the time we reached the river bend. Early in July, it was too soon for great waxy harvest moons although combine harvesters were at work by daylight in fields with brittle

Fishing for sea trout

dry crops.
Usually when one stands on a river bank, the water talks, mumbling and murmuring on its course, but the Taw in north Devon was low and silent, gleaming in the moonlight. By day there were pools so still one could have been watching a lake or reservoir which only came

High in the woods on the other side of the valley a fox coughed in the gathering night. A sheep called nervously on the opposite bank and then something crashed out of the water. In a moment, it had thuddedback. We had heard our first sea trout of the night.

Actually, we had booked in at the hotel to fish for brown trout, smaller and willer than their cousins on the chalk streams of the southern counties closer to home. But the river was in the middle of its sea trout season and was renowned, we were assured, for an abundance of

When you get down to basics. there should be nothing special about sea trout. They are generally agreed to be brown trout which have ventured from estuaries into sea water and found it to be good. Each year they return to spawn high in the rivers, after developing to nicet the demands of both sea and

They are bigger than brown trout, having dined well on the plentiful food of the seas. Our hotel's record book - this is an establishment which takes these matters seriously - regularly showed good fish weighing well British record stands at the 20lb attacking a fly as a brown trout often employed when the rivers

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Fish out of water: Sea trout on the Shannon

mark and they are fish noted for and he brought back fish to their fighting ability. "Indeed, we were told to use strong grods of 9-9%ft and leaders with 51b tips rather than the smaller river rods and light lines which are usually used for

asing the little brown trout. When sea trout start to move or, like salmon, live on the fat of their marine lives. Our bailiff prove his point.

During the day we had seen a number of powerful rises on sections of our allotted beat, rises which left the surface tilting and washing up the bank in the wake of potent fish. Soon after dinner, as the temperature on the rivers it seems to be a dropped, we collected our rods most point whether they feed and set off to cast upon and set off to cast upon darkening waters.

The fashion when the rivers was in little doubt that a big are high is to fish in daylight, rising whirl in the river was just but night fishing is regarded as showed good fish weighing well rising whirl in the river was just but night fishing is regarded as into double figures. The current as likely to be a sea trout the true and most exciting sport,

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are low. It clearly has fanatical support: the record book showed large fish caught at 2am and 3am with one regular angler known to fish only at night and sleep during the day.

The bailiff recommended a Black Pennell which is a traditional wet fly. Hugh Falkus, an acknowledged sea trout expert, listed a range of flies including large lures, double books and a multitude of wet fly patterns in a recent volume of fly fishing patterns.

We tried a number of areas at first but without luck and then joined up on the bend where I thought sea trout might lie. The river had due deep into the red soil of the bank and the water was deep, running from a

smaller pool under trees. The section had the added advantage of enabling us to cast without the risk of being snagged on the back cast in the dark. Or, to be accurate, we could cast without being snagged too often. Experts will always advise a walk along a beat in daylight and for very good reason - the river was so low the banks were often steep and dangerous.

I cast from a small spit of sand with no response, although brown trout were moving further up the river. My companion cast down and across under the trees opposite, shadow on a disappearing skyline as the sun vanished and the stars came out. He cast again and there was a sudden splash. The rod bent over to a weighty fish and I ran over with a net and torch. A l'Alb "sprod" or "peal" eventually surrendered to the net, its silver markings starting to darken, a sign it had been in the river

The fish had taken a Alexander fly out in the darkness under the trees. My companion muttered he was glad to have used a strong rod as the fish struggled energeti-cally.

By midnight we were getting old despite sweaters and fishing vests and there were no more fish. But as we walked away across a field damp with dew there was another huge thud on the water behind us.

Stewart Tendler Sea trout can be fished on many game rivers in the British Isles. The season often runs from June or

July to Aug. Some Scottish rivers fish on until Oct. Separate licences may be needed from local water authorities who can advise on the

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# Making light work of nature

Overcome by the panoramic view from Mont Ventoux near Avignon, it is said that Petrarch quoted St Augustine: "... and men go forth, and admire lofty quoted St Augustine: " mountains and broad seas, and roaring torrents, and the ocean

forget themselves" Undoubtedly this explains why, from the very beginning of photography people have been unable to resist pointing cameras at panoramas, desperate to remember why it was that they forgot themselves in the first

Of course, there is more to landscape photography than pointing a camera at the scene. For instance, it is worth considering when and where

you will get the best result. Since landscapes are static ~ with the exception of seascapes and other views involving wind and water - the crucial element is the quality and direction of

light falling on the land. Whereas the photojournalist is likely to be waiting for the people in a scene to fall into place visually, the landscape photographer must wait for the angle and strength of light to combine pleasingly with clouds and other elements.

Mood is the essence of memorable landscape, and to capture it, photographers should concentrate on the early and late hours of the day when the sun's oblique rays produce strong side-lighting and haze, both of which will provide a sense of depth within the

Many photographers reach for colour film when faced with grandeur. Yet it is often those facets not connected with colour which give rise to the



Panoramic profile: Bill Brandt's View from Glamis Castle

feeling of awe, such as the sheer scale of valleys and mountains. Landscape photographs are frequently more striking in monochrome than in colour ecause of separation of tones a fact readily understood by

modern masters such as Ansel Adams and Bill Brandt. or black and white, certain'

composition techniques will

help build more pleasing pictures. Resist the tirge to grab hold of a wide angle lens to "get it all in". Panoramic wide-angle shots unless enlarged very substantially, disappear into a thin horizon and vast expanse

of sky in print form. Exceptions are, perhaps fields of flowers or urban and

density filter if necessary to cut down the intensity of light. Depth of field is an important constituent in any photograph, but nowhere is it more important than in landscape photography. For one group of photographers, the f64 group, which comprised Edward Weston, Imogen Cunningham, Ansel

Adams and others, it was the criterion. The tiny f64 aperture on their large 10in x Sin plate cameras made sharp pictures possible from virtually zero feet to infinity. It can only be wise to follow the best exponents of the art and choose as small an aperturé as possible.

Roy Cuckow

Holiday time, the silly season, to shed our bylines and head for call it what you will, is not my favourite time of year. By August, especially in a dry year like this, the countryside has lost its lushness and is looking a little tired. The highlights of the summer - the Derby, Ascot, Wimbledon, the Lord's Test and the Open - have come and gone once again, and all we have to look forward to are the interminable dreary weeks of

England may not have a Test side worthy of the name, but at the lower levels the game seems to be flourishing as never before. I cannot remember a time when more people seemed to be playing cricket. When I drove one recent Saturday afternoon through a string of picture book villages in Surrey, on every single village green a

game was in progress. It is surprisingly popular in Fleet Street. Like Gilbert's burglar who it will be recalled, when not a-burgling, loved to hear the little brook a-gargling and listen to the merry village chime, so we hacks on The Times like nothing better than

some remote rural arena. In deepest Gloucestershire this year we came across a former pop star who had decided that the only things he really enjoyed were cricket and golf, must be all for the good.



Another highly enjoyable ac-tivity, to which I was recently introduced for the first time, is clay pigeon

shooting. We were the guests of Holland and Explicit and Holland, the gunmakers, who have their own shooting school in the heart of Sir John Betjeman's Metroland. I have no idea what the old boy thought of guns and shooting, but I am certain he would have delighted in the meadows and woods which, spared from any

and alive with butterflies. instruction, most of us were soon hitting our flying targets with not allow yourself to become both barreis. Half-a-dozen one addicted to more than one field hour lessons would, we were sport.

told, turn most people into respectable enough shots not to disgrace themselves if invited for a day on a grouse moor. The climax came when whole convoys of the discs were released from the top of a tower to sweep over our heads, while we stood underneath, four at a time, blazing away happily. We almost felt that we had done

something to deserve the cham-pagne that followed. The real purpose of the outing was to witness the unveiling of four exquisite hand-made guns, commemorating Lord Mount-batten and his family, which no

doubt have been snapped up already by an American collector for a seven figure sum.
It is far too late for me to take up hunting, even if I wanted to, but I cannot think of anything nicer than to have the time and money to spend large parts of the year fishing and shooting.

form of chemical treatment, the year fishing and shooting were ablaze with wildflowers However, someone - it may nd alive with butterflies. have been wise old John
Thanks to some excellent Cherrington, of the Financial
astruction, most of us were soon Times - told me that you should

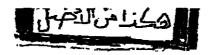


There nothing wrong with The Observer campaign to

countryside", but I feel it is wrong to classify some farmers as villains, though I agree that chopping down protected trees, or deliberately destroying pro-posed sites of special scientific interest (cannot someone devise a better term?) before they are

confirmed, is unforgivable. Not surprisingly, farming and landowning organizations are appealing to their members to publicize their positive efforts in the cause of conservation. Within the last two years the National Farmers' Union has certainly come to recognize the power of the environmental lobby. The Country Landowners' Association and the Council for the Protection of Rural England have signed a joint declaration, joint declaration, pledging themselves to obtaining more support from the EEC for

environmental objectives. John Young



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Beryl Downing investigates the cheerful trend towards colourful decoration of everyday objects

# Never mind the walls, paint the furniture

colour in our lives. The message case the decoration is not on case the decoration is not on wood but on fabric. She is one of the few fabric painting the walks and get busy on the firstitute. on the furniture.

Not since the eighteenth century has there been such a trend to decorative finishes on all kinds of furniture from battered bedroom chairs to custom-built cabinets. Suddealy, the stripped pine obsession has gone into reverse and everyone is busy putting back the coats of paint that someone else has laboriously

Decorative finishes at their most graphic are to be seen at a workshop in Surrey set up by four ex-Parnham graduates, David Linley, Rupert Senior, Ross Sharples and Charles Wheeler-Carmichael,



ued it up last week like a giant parcel, with a monstrous roll of cooking foil and persuaded David Linley's mother, Princess Margaret, to cut the "ribbon" with a far from ceremonial saw.

They are typical (apart from the royal connexion) of many young craftsmen starting their careers by banding together to share overheads while pursuing independent careers.

Charles Wheeler-Carmichael is a superb technician particularly interested in automata and in classic modern furniture; Rupert Senior likes to invent one-off pieces designed for modern living - clothes and computer storage, for example; Ross Sharples has designed a legless chair of remarkable ingenuity made in small batch production runs.

It is David Linley, with another craftsman, Henry Slack, who produces the most colourful work. His first screens were decorated with abstract shapes in multi-coloured veneers and he has now developed the idea into pictorial panels of houses. and turrets, sometimes with a three dimensional effect and always inlaid with marquetry in many grains and colours. These

Littere

are to commission only. His practical pieces include a striking table in birch stained with zig zags of orange, blue, red and yellow. It folds flat and which fits into the same package. In batch production, the pair costs £499.

All four craftsmen can be contacted at The Whitehouse, Betchworth, Surrey (939 4316 or, for Linley and Slack, 939

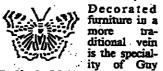
Colourful screens are also one of the specialities of Louise

which involves the application of outlines of glue to close the mesh and waterproof the fibres.
The inks used for the painting can be diluted and blended to give a range of tones and colours with effects much more precise and delicate than other forms of fabric painting.

Silk panels can be painted to complement antique screens or modern designs can be created and a framework made specially for them by a local cabinet-maker. More unusually, the panels can be used as a coffee table top, sandwiched between two sheets of glass.

Louise Loring normally works to commission only, visiting clients to match colours and styles of existing furnishings. She can also arrange to have furniture painted with the same designs as those she creates for her silks, and will undertake smaller items too lampshades from £70, cushions

£75, scarves £58. For details contact Studio 2, Unit 4. Charterhouse Works, Eltringham Street, London SW18 (01-870 9664).



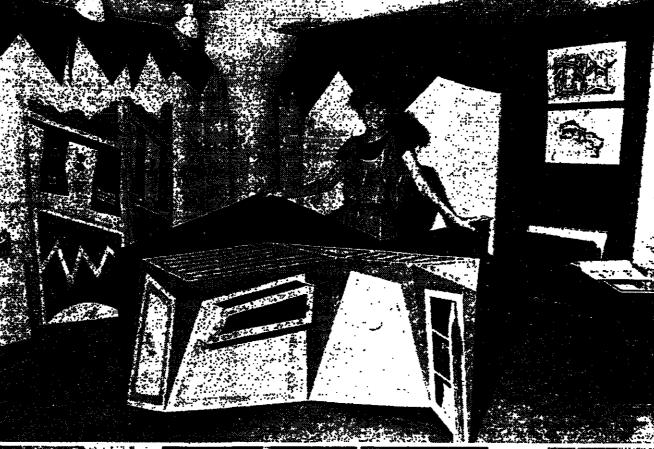
ity of Guy Bedford of Crit Hall, Benenden, Cranbrook, Kent (0580 240 397). He is an expert in japanning and in Pennsylvania Dutch and German folk painting, and will decorate anything from a small box to an eighteenth century Chinoiserie chest, reproducing designs from museum pieces.

Much of Bedford's work is done for dealers and interior designers, but he also undertakes private commissions and will paint furniture brought in by customers. Prices for the decoration only of a 3ft chest in Pennsylvanian style would be from £100 to £200. He also restores antique lacquered fur-

Even pieces not in a category that warrants restoration can be small items such as boxes or a given a new lease of life by a tray are from £12, a simple talented Austrian artist, Eliza-bedroom thair, including paintbeth Lasser. She started by ing can be £45, a chest £175. She painting children's nursery will find suitable pieces at furniture for specialist shops auction for you or will decorate and now deals in all types of decorated furniture at her own shop, which opened yesterday in Camden Passage.

with other techniques, including graining marbling and stippling, and can transform the most unassuming furniture into imagination at the college pieces of charming decoration. degree shows and one of the pieces of charming decoration.
With a coat of pink paint and a Loring, a young designer who flower down the side she makes held her first exhibition in an ordinary slope-top school

She combines flower painting







desk look designer-made for a whose yellow, black, pink and girl's room. Lasser, with a great red chest developed from the deal of patience and skill, can idea of making a series of give a characterless chest the doodles into a painting and then into functional form. look of an interesting antique. Students from Rycotewood Her charges for so much

College in Thame, Oxfordshire, handwork are remarkably low were again given space at Maples in Tottenham Court Road to show their work. of the awards our own. Contact Elizabeth Lasser at The Paintbox, Unit 3, Ashcroft of Barnt Green, Bir-The Fleamarket Antiques Armingham, for the best reprocade, 7 Pierrepoint Row, London NI (01-455 0071). duction piece. There are, h

Not all decorated furniture is at Rycotewood, a college which makes a special point of turning in the traditional manner. There was plenty of colour and out craftsmen with an intensely practical attitude. "First you have to make it and then you most original talents among the have to stand alongside it with a Middlesex Polytechnic graduates was Jiouxleigh Jacobs, have to sell it is the advice

There are, however, no losers

Loring with her hand-painted silk panels set in a Victorian screen (£385) and a modern coffee table (£450) given to all students by Jack creative energy, a book has been published recently. Decorating

coloured veneers, by David Linley and Matthew Rice; right, Louise

Furniture by Jo-An Jenkins (Pelham Books £7.95). With the help of clear illustrations it

takes you step by step through

spongeing, stippling, dragging,

ragging and picture decoration

with the minimum of inexpen-

beginner's stage, Lyn Le Grice,

who pioneered the revival of

stencilling in this country, has

introduced a new butterfly

motif (illustrated) to her collec-

tion of ready-to-use stencils,

£2.50 (80p p+p). A catalogue of

all her designs is available for £1 and a large sae, from Alsia Mill,

St Buryan, Penzance, Cornwall.

She also holds summer courses

in the craft - very popular and

already full this year, so hopeful students should start thinking

If you are already beyond the

sive equipment.

Lazenby, Rycotewood's lecturer in fine craft and design. Peter Dines, one of the college's mature students and a former rock musician, has been taking note of the advice this year. His showpieces in bluestained veneer with rosewood were based on a rug design in the Victoria & Albert museus sponsored by Maples were simplified to produce a table Stephen Penny of Poole for the and cabinet which achieve the ance and proportion of good furniture of every

> The pair costs £1,000 and, if that sounds a lot, consider Jack "You'd be Lazenby's view: willing to lose £1,000 on your car depreciation every year and not even notice it". Peter Dines can be contacted for commissions at 80 Tamworth Road, Hertford (0992 58200).

For those inspired by all this

#### SHOPFRONT

#### Party flashers

Summer weddings, garden parties, visits from friends and family based overseas – all are occasions when an ordinary camera is not spontaneous enough to match the fizz of the occasion. The perfect party camera is the instant type, now vastly improved. But such cameras are too heavy for normal use and to buy one for a single occasion is such an

started a loan scheme. At any camera shop displaying the "Free Kodak Instant Camera Loan" card you can borrow their 950 model for three days. You simply have to buy one or more packs of Kodamatic Trimprint film (10-print Pack about £8.34, 20 prints £1.39) and leave a returnable £30 deposit.

If you want to buy an instant camera these are available from about £20, but you would be well-advised to spend a little more for a built-in flash model. Kodak's 950 is about £39 and 970L about £53, both with automatic flash and

The Trimprint film produces an image in about 30 seconds, is fully developed after five minutes and has a peel-off back which gives a slimmer-than-usual final print, i used a 970L at a party recently and the prints were a much better colour than those of another flash-happy guest using a different make. And I am no disciple of David

If your local dealer is not in the loan scheme, Kodak will give you the name of your nearest dealer (0442 61122).

# Tell-tale

buttons Story buttons are the latest idea for hand are various themes - a parachutist dropping, button by button, a little

the clouds, a from the distant horizon, a duck the story of the gymnastic bird dustrated here. They cost from cards of five buttons - the ones Illustrated

Are £13.50. All by Boutons





Potting the scent

It would be a pity to waste such a wonderful summer of roses by letting the petals rot into compost. Much better to pick them just before they drop and make pot-

pournt.
The company Herbs From the
Hoo have had inquiries from all
over the world from people who are unable to get pot-pourri fixatives, essential oils and instructions. Now they have put together a starter kit which includes both.

There are two 200g bags of mixed herbs, one of lavender and one of rose petals, plus enough orris root powder and oit of roses to make

pot pourri from the kit contents plus twice as much again from you own mixed petals.
Other suitable flowers include Other suitable howers include delphinium, camomile, rosemary, lemon verbena, marjoram, sunflowers and marigolds. You can add cinnamon, allspice, cloves or nutmeg for an extra tang. Recipes are included.

The pot-pourif making kit costs \$5.50 including page from Herbe

25.50 including pap from Herbs from the Hoo, 46 Church Street.

#### Smuggler's dream

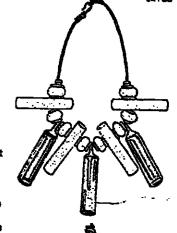
Clever holidaymakers will not be smuggling contraband into the country this year – they will be taking it with them. Contraband is the name of a shop at 9 Gees Court, off Oxford Street, London W1, with a selection of original designer jewelry that will make a splash on the smartest beaches.

David Castle, a designer and manufacturing jeweller from Warrington, opened the shop just over six months ago. With a distinct flair for the spectacular and a sound northern sense of value for money, he has attracted a nucleus of creative young designers who make jewelry for people who like to be noticed.

Don't expect conventional costume jewelry - these are conversation pieces. Ceri Evans's exuberant summer necklaces do not come in quiet single strands. She uses masses of tiny wooden beads – 30 strands at a time – in black, orange, purple or natural grain, £35. Other colours can be made to order. To show off a fine tan there are

Slim Barret's white necklaces in a mixture of handblown glass tubes, painted wood and pleated leather— the one shown is £29.95 and has earrings to match at £12.50. Or Jake Land's strands or discs of black rubber, each £15 (flustrated will withstand the sea as well as, if not better than, your bikini. David Castle will also undertake commissions in silver or gold but

even the fun pieces have a feeling of exclusiveness because he





ign. It is an inspired collection, well worth a visit - and much safe destinations then your favourite family heidooms.

Hilaire's decor has a moody, colonial feel, with ceiling fans and potted palms completing

the light-grey, cricket-pavilion-

The lanch menu changes

daily, and offers a good balance

between simplicity and inven-

tion. There is usually a soup among the three starters (chilled

supported by the more daring likes of feuillete of brains with

capers, a light but sharp-tasting creation which managed to overcome my usual squeamish-

Main courses were equally

well thought out - simple but

style interior.

than two or three examples of any

# When too much tannin can spoil the wine

No subject is more likely to cause a heated discussion among connoisseurs of claret than comparisons between great vintages. The 1975 millésime is the latest to raise temperatures in the wine world. The argument concerns the

unusually high tannin content present in the 1975 red Bor-deaux. While a certain amount of tannin – that astringent, mouth-puckering substance found in strong tea is desirable and essential in any claret to give the wine body, backbone and longevity, it is possible to have too much. And that could well be the case with the '75 clarets say some wine buffs. Others, including the claret heavyweights, emphatically deny this. If the '75 claret vintage did have an overdose of tannin the

The climate was reasonable that year, but there were extreme variations, with fierce heat giving way to thunderstorms at moment's notice. The year began with a mild, wet winter that encouraged an early bud-break. But March frosts promptly caught these young, green buds and reduced the crop by 25 per cent. Conditions improved with a warm spring and early summer and flowering took place in ideal conditions. The hot, dry weather ditions. The hot, the continued throughout the Sotheby's), I doubt whether continued throughout the Sotheby's), I doubt whether continued throughout the Sotheby's), I doubt whether continued throughout the sound wines may, as many of the sound throughout throughout the sound throughout the sound throughout throughout the sound throughout throughout throughout the sound throughout through throughout throughout throughout throughout throughout through which was broken by heavy rain. September was sunny as well but there were occasional rainstorms. Fortunately, by the time the harvest began on September 25, the grapes had dried out and were ripe.

Apart from fully ripening the grapes, the intense summer heat thickened their skins - the major source of tannin (and pigment) for a red wine. This factor, combined with the small, concentrated yield ensured that deep colour, a high tannin level and one of the highest sogar

evers since 1901.

The question now, almost 10 made comparisons with the



years later, is whether the 75s still have sufficient fruit and flesh to balance the tannin. Having tasted 77 of the top '75 clarets, including all the first growths (at a magnificent tasting organized by Patrick Grubb, Master of Wine at growers themselves believe. eventually soften up and come round. But most 10-year-old clarets from a very good year (and 75 is thought to be as good as '78 or '70) should be showing some promise or potential, and I felt that far too few were. Patrick Grubb disagrees, and feels that in general these are great wines which simply need patience", adding that the '61s and even the '66s were still closed-in at this stage. But he the '75 clarets started life with 2 did admit that there were a few which had an unyielding backbone of tannin like the

out before it softened up. I did taste some wines that I liked very much, but of course

they still need more time in the cellar before they are ready to drink. In general, I thought the best '75s were the Pomerols and St Emilions, with the Graves the most disappointing.

At the first growth level the stars were Mouton-Rothschild with its mature yet blackcurranty taste, and the rich, gamey charms of Margaux (Lafite and Latour were disappointing). Cheval Blanc was the best of the St Emilions with its fragrant, smoky elegance, but I also enjoyed the ripe, fruity La Gaffelière; the charming, cally Trottevicille and the full, fruity Clos des Jacobins. From Pomerol. Petrus easily outshone the rest with its enormous colour and rich, ripe fruit. I also liked the classy and complex Vieux-Château-Certan. More treats '37s". Other claret buffs have from Pauillac included the rich,

lovely, perfumed Grand-Puy-Lacoste. In St Estephe the big. oaky Calon-Segur had style, as did the austere, beefy Les Ormes de Pez. Prom St Julien came the elegant, Ducru-Beau-caillou and the fragrant, cedary Saint-Pierre-Sevaistre. The 1975 clarets have almost

disappeared from merchants' lists but the following carry some of the wines listed with prices starting at about £12 per bottle: Lay & Wheeler, 6 Culver Street West, Colchester, Essex, Henry Townsend, Chalk Pit House, Coleshill, Amersham, Buckinghamshire: Bibendum, 113 Regents Park Road, London NWI. Sotheby's, 34-35 New Bond Street, London WI. will be holding a claret sale, including some of the 1975 clarets, on October 24 and November 7, and next year they will be holding another tasting exercise featuring the 1978s.

# EATING OUT Inventive cooking on a limited budget

about next year.

This week we continue our series on restaurants offering value-formoney prix fixe hunches

My previous feature on set-price menus highlighted the cheaper options available at two top-class, expensive restaurants. For many other, less well-en-dowed establishments, however, running a two-tier oper-ation - set price and a la carte at funchtime is not always

If the number of covers is limited, either by the res-taurant's size or location, it makes little sense to go in for extravagant buying of produce and wide-ranging menus. It is far better to concentrate the purchasing power and offer customers a limited number of choices, in the hope that an attractive price and good cooking will complete the

feasible.

solution arrived at by two relatively new London restaurants just a mile or so apart on the Old Brompton Road, Read's and Hilaire. At both places, young highly-talented English chefs (Caroline Swatland at Read's, Simon Hopkin-son at Hilaire) offer startlingly inventive three-course lunches at £9.50 an £8.50 respectively.

Read's, at the more residential, western end of the Old Brompton Road, is attractively turned out - floral baskets in the windows, dappled shades of peach on the walls, crisp white table linen, comfortable, cushioned chairs, and posies on the tables. A table or two may also be moved outside on sunny

days.

The lightness and airiness of the premises is matched by the lunchtime menu, which changes every week. Three choices are offered for each of the three courses, with coffee, homemade chocolates and pre-meal nibbles and bread also included in the price. The à la carte, evening menu is also available Jane MacQuitty on request, but for a first visit, the fixed-price lunch should



give the customer a fair indication of Caroline Swat-I called in on a quiet, sunny

Saturday lunchtime (how pleasant to find a restaurant open at this traditionally "dead" time) when the menu seemed suitably summery. The three starters were a delicious chilled fresh pea and lettuce soup, a light but tasty salad of sole and avocado and a hot mousse of chicken livers with a blackcurrant sauce and cassis.
The main courses were even

more impressive, featuring a large slab of delicately poached sea trout, wonderfully tender slices of lambs' liver cooked in white wine and parsley, and roast shoulder of pork with fresh sage. A generous spread of precisely-cooked vegetables arrived, prettily presented on a

Cheeses (there is a display like Mount Rushmore near the door) or two puddings were offered in conclusion - a fruitpacked blueberry cheesecake, and impossibly light meringues (iles flottantes) in pineapple sauce. There are no fewer than to house wines, all remarkably well-priced to suit the cheaper menu, including a particularly

teau Maimbray) which is ideal

menu at Read's - a triumphant example of the set lunch as a "trial offer" - I would have no hesitation in returning to try the à la carte (probably £16 a head) or indeed the set-price Sunday lunch (£12.50).

At Hilaire by South Kensington tube station. Simon Hop-kinson goes one-better with his "trial offer", by operating a fixed-price evening menu (£16.50 for three courses, including service) to back up the set lunch (£8.50 for three courses, including service).

delicious fricassee of liver and onions, a lightweight smoked trout salad with artichokes, and strapping fillets of lamb in a rich tarragon sauce. A well-dressed salad of endive, radiccio and watercress accompanies

Again, cheese (Brie de After sampling the lunchtime Meaux) or two simple puddings (poached peach in raspberry sauce or strawberries and cream) and cafetière coffee complete the meal, and again, you will be tempted back in the evenings to enjoy the work of another chef who can cook inventively on a limited budget. Stan Hey

Read's, 152 Old Brompton Road, London SW5 (373 2445), Mon-Sat 12.30-2.30pm and 7.30-11pm; Sun

12.30-2.30pm and 7.30-11pm, Sun 12.30-3.pm. Hilaire, 88 Old Brompton Road, London SW7 (584 8993). Mon-Fri noon-2.30pm, Mon-Sat 7-11.30pm.



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# Seeing through the opening gambit

while the players who enjoy especially against inferior or defence even prefer Black to inaccurate opposition.

White and defensive defences to White: W. R. Hartston. White and defensive defences to White: W. K. Parties.

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Black: T. Upton. Q. P. Rubins-

Richard Reti pushed this tein System. theory one stage further when 1 PO4 PO4 he wrote that those who were timid or self-effacing in real life were dashing and devastatingly combinative on the chessboard, giving as a good example Rudolf Spielmann, the great Viennese master, who loved gambits and excelled in the most violent of openings over And here better was 9... N-B3, the chessboard but away from it to which Rubinstein used to was shy and timid.

A propos of this I was once told an entertaining story by 10 0-83 R-81 11 0-83 Gideon Stahlberg, the late Swedish grandmaster. They were both playing in a great international tournament at Moscow in 1935. Spielmann could speak no Russian so his hosts, trying to relieve his loneliness, found a German-speaking lady and placed them side-by-side on a sofa in the Hotel National where the

players were staying.

The two sat there for half an hour without Spielmann uttering a word. At length his mouth opened and he uttered just three words, "Leben sie musik?" (Do you like music?). I got to know Spielmann a

few years later when he came to play in an international tournament at Margate in 1938. I found him shy and retiring but in our game over the board he attacked me violently from the start with a delayed Wing Gambit against my Sicilian Defence. The game that ensued was full of combinations and counter-combinations

ended in an honourable draw.

Another great master who was quiet and timid away from the chessboard but who could play violent and overwhelming and the Rubinstein Bishop attacks on it was Akiba Rubinstein, a Polish jew, whose skill lay in gaining violent and immense attacks by the quietest

In the following game in the Robert Silk Young Masters' tournament last week, Bill Hartston amply demonstrated

The type of opening a player that the Rubinstein variation of employs is largely prescribed by the queen's pawn, while appearing to be a slow way of massive gambit variations, while the players who arises appearing that the Rubinstein variation of son's attitude (though hers was to music) namely that I don't really know anything about it but I know what I like.

So, ill-equipped as I am to indee any extrapletor are indeed any extrapletor are indeed any extrapletor are indeed any extrapletor.

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square (the main concern of the Rubinstein System): better was B-Q3.

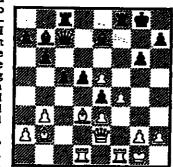
reply P-QR3 so as to prevent Black's N-QN5. Threatening 12 NxN QxN 13 PxP, to be followed by 14 BxN.

11 ... NxN This helps White's attack; better

was II ... P-N3. Not

Not seeing the surprising combination that occurs on move 20, otherwise he would have played 17... N-B2.

PxB 21 Q-B4 ch K-N2 22 R-Q7 QxR 23 P-K6 dis ch



He is mated after 30 . . . KxB 31

Harry Golombek

National Exhibition of Children's Art

# Rising talents on top of Tower Bridge

When it comes to art I have to admit to sharing Zuleika Dob-son's attitude (though hers was So, ill-equipped as I am to judge any art, whether executed

by adult or child, it was with some trepidation (not to mention a severe attack of vertigo). that I shot to the top of Tower Bridge last week to look at the 36th National Exhibition of Children's Art (sponsored by Cadbury's since 1980) displayed along the Walkway. It says much for the standard of work that I almost forgot where I was.

On show are several hundred of the best entries for the 1983 competition, the work of schoolchildren ranging in age from five to seventeen, who have used a variety of techniques, among them poster or oil paints, water colours, pencil and etching to depict a wide range of subjects. There are landscapes, still lifes, fathers, (few mothers!) teachers, sib-

lings; pop groups, birds, a butterfly on roller skates, a back-garden and numerous selfportraits, many of which are deeply analytical and show emarkable technical expertise. The work is judged by a panel comprising artists, art teachers,

government inspectors and educationalists - several of whom have been on this selection panel for a number of years. I talked to one of them, Ian Stephenson, a practising artist and Head of The Post-Graduate School of Painting at Chelsea School of Art, to discover what the judges were looking for.

"I can only speak for myself. I'm perhaps a bit of a maverick and quite often disagree with the other judges! Essentially I am looking for good art, whether it is in the youngest age group where children's art really is what it says and which itself is what it says and which itself has been the subject of so much modern art - think of Picasso for instance; or in the oldest age groups, where the artists have lost their original, naive, childlike quality, where I - as a practising artist - am looking for *potential* artists. It's an intuitive thing and my judging ability changes according to the



I asked whether he thought that parents could - or should actively encourage a young talent wherever they saw one.

"There are no rules. In all honesty I have to say that if you look back to some of the best artists in, say, the Impressionist period, you will find that they were often positively dissuaded by their parents. A reaction 'against' can be a very positive thing. Equally though there is no harm in a parent encouraging a child, though I happen to

Inspiring images: The exhibition elicts a mixed response from right, "American Dream" by Sosan Shepherd from Leek

believe that if it's there, the talent will emerge. An artist will be an artist if he must. You can't make it happen, either by wishing standing over or buying lots of expensive equip-Colin Tofts, on the other

hand, who has taught art in inner London schools for the past 20 years, and who was one of the judges in the Schools Art Competition organized by the North West London Society of Architects for this year's Festi-val of Architecture, believes awareness and giving confidence, many of the big "art" competitions have a bias towards technical skill rather that teachers and parents can contribute to a child's artistic than other talents - and also largely ignore the work of progress: the parents by encourminority groups, untutored in agement and buying materials European traditions. for the child's own use out of The parents' role in nudging school, and the teachers by - or sometimes positively driving - a child in a direction caring enough to persist, even

when a child loses interest. in which he appears to be going "Many children with a natural ability who have done anyway was borne out by several to whom I spoke in well at primary schools, fall connexion with the exhibition. away' at secondary level. Some Judith Spence, older sister of of course would do so anyway. Paul (one of this year's major

There are others however who tend to have become 'precious' about their talents, who are almost afraid to develop. If you feel there really is something there it is sometimes necessary to break down - even destroy that original talent or skill - so that they can grow, develop." Colin Tofts also believes that while competitions may be valuable in stimulating a child's

> prize-winners in the competition who has just set off on the Italian Art Tour, which is part of the prize) told me that she too exhibited in the competition and that her parents, both art teachers, "took us to galleries here and abroad almost as soon as we were born!"

Judy Frosbaug 36th National Exhibition of Walkway, London SE1, until Aug 13, daily 10am-5.45pm. Adults £2,

#### Outings

METROPOLITAN POLICE HORBE METROPOLITAN POLICE HORRE SHOW: Showjumping, musical and activity rides, skill at arms and a dog display team are among the many arena events.

Metropolitan Police Training Establishment, Imber Court, East Molesey, Surrey (398 1102). Today, 1,45pm. Seats: Adult from 70p to £3, child from 35p to £1.50.

KENSINGTON KITTEN AND VEUTER CAT CLUB SHOW: Just about every breed of kitten and neutered cat will be on show plus a number of non-pedigree moggles. Royal Horticultural Society's Halls, Greycoat Street and Vincent Square, London SW1 (834 4333). Today, noon-5pm. Adult £1.50, child 75p.

DRAGON MEET: One-day convention for all those interested in role-playing games such as the in role-playing games such as the immensely popular Dungeons and Dragons. Many competitions and opportunities for participation. Central Hall, Westminster, London SW1 (222 6289). Today, 10am-8pm, Admission £1.

FESTIVAL OF STREET ENTERTAINERS: The very best of British street entertainment bands, magicians, acrobats, dancers, musicians - all competing for the title "Street Entertainer of the Year" and judged by a panel of calebrity entertainers.

Covent Garden Piezza, London WC2. Today and Tomorrow, 10am-8pm. Free.

WINNIE THE POOH HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES WEEKEND: Organizac especially for families with young children – events include a Winnie the Pooh trail, storytelling and Rabbit's birthday party. Museum of East Anglian Life, Stowmarket, Suffolk (0449 612229). Today, 11am-5pm, Tomorrow, noon-5pm. Adult £1, child 40p, birthday party 20p.

CASTLE HOWARD REMY MARTIN HORSE TRIALS AND CARRIAGE DRIVING TRIALS: Leeding riders from the north will be taking part in the horse trials and most of the country's leading whips in the carriage driving trials. House and grounds also open. Castle Howard, 15 miles north of York, Yorkshire (055384 333). Today and tomorrow, 8.30am early evening. Admission toda per car, tomorrow £5 per car.

MILITARY AIR PAGEANT: One of Shuttleworth's biggest annual events and certainly the most popular. Every kind of military aeroplane from 1910 models onward will be flying, weather

permitting. The Shuttleworth Collection, Old Warden Aerodrome, Biggle Bedfordshire (076727 288), Tomorrow, gates open Ham, Air Show 2-5.30pm. Admission £8 per car, single entry adult £2 child £1

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# Musical chairs at midnight

The final three rounds of the M. H. Airey's Warwickshire 1984 Gold Cup took place in team, which has performed Glasgow. The favourites were consistently well in the Gold surely Kirby (captain) and Cup without tasting victory. Armstrong, Stanley and Smolski, and Forrester and CalderIMPs but the score does not do

by D. Muller. The opening exchanges were as done as the first morning's play in the Roses match, because both sides contained a very slow pair. The effect was that at 2am there remained 16 boards to play. Kirby had wiped out an early

deficit and now enjoyed a narrow lead of nine IMPs. The penultimate set of eight boards took another hour, but Calderwood and Forrester emerged confident they had put the issue beyond doubt. Unhappily, it had occupied the wrong seats. Possibly the disappointment of that experience contributed to the Kirby team's ultimate defeat

Meanwhile, the second seeds other holders of the Women's example of a disaster and a World Championship - moved triumph, he sportingly obliged.
on. In the final, they defeated Here is the disaster.

Mrs Landy won by 177-88 wood, a team with a wealth of justice to the loser, who lost a

> Mrs S. Landy (captain), Mrs S. Horton, Mrs N. Smith, R. Brock, S. Lodge and A. Sowter.

the Gold Cup. I should probably describe some of our Smith modestly insisted that stranger to bridge in the space the deeds of her team-mates, Sowter and Lodge, would prove (3) Lodge is forced to bid. One more entertaining. "Playing the club shows 0-6 points or 17 system they do, they obviously transpired that all the players have the occasional disaster, but their methods showed a handsome profit on balance."

already played their variation of by 23 IMPs at the unearthly the "strong pass" in the European Championship and the Bermuda Bowl. When I a team captained by Sandra diplomatically asked Tony palatable as any.

andy which included two Sowter to provide me with an The Landy tea

Riding in Tintagel



The brooding ruins of Tintagel Castle, left, have filled visitors over the centuries with fears, foreboding and exhibitration. The legend of King Arthur's tenure lives on with plastic swords, lurid

in the village nearby and gives rise to many a profitable skirmish with history, fought We could see the clay pits, and,

in the distance, Rough Tor. After more than 20 years in the riding school business.

David and Shirley came to Trevillett Parc two-and-a-half years ago from Norfolk, bringing most of their 25 horses and

ponies with them. The former stud is now a hacking and trekking centre for experienced riders and beginners, with optional farmhouse accommodation, if you don't mind sharing with four dogs, Sophia the goat. Orvill the goose, and several cats and chickens.

Favourite rides are to Trebarwith Strand, an unspoilt Cornish cove with nearly a mile of sandy beach for a canter at low tide; and to Boseastle, a pictures a sarbour and fishing village with smugging associations which, with its imports of coal from the north and its exports of local slate, first gave rise to the expression, "coals to

Newcastle". You can ride on from Boscastle up the Valency Valley, where Thomas Hardy courted Emma. A woodland path leads from the village to the church at St Juliot, to which

Hardy came as architect for its Victorian restoration. The peaceful sylvan scene is a contrast to the drama of the cliffs, but no less romantic. It would be a pity, I thought, if a thin layer of tawdriness confined one's experience of Tinta-gel and its neighbourhood to a

single street

week. List of riding establishments from County reinforce hedges and gates.

Beyond us sprawled the land.
Scapes of china clay country.

Conwall Tourist Board, County Hall, Station Road, Truro (0872 74282 ext 326 or 58).

CONCISE CROSSWORD (No 405)

unnounced on Saturday, August 4, 1984. ACROSS

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19 Tumbler (7) 20 Married (3) 27 Cowmeat (4)

25 On one occasion (4)

NEXT SATURDAY

SOLUTION TO No 399 (last Saturday's prize concise) ACROSS: 1 Look out post 9 Oakgall 10 Verge 11 Ice 13 Name 16 Bind 17 Napkin 18 Goad 20 Dean 21 Writhe 22 Ogle 23 Well 25 Ted 23 Tiger 29 Appland 30 London Pride DOWN: 2 Oakum 3 Knap 4 Ugli 5 Pave 6 Sardine 7 John O'Groats 8 Leading lady 12 Chintz 14 End 15 Sparse 19 Allegro 20 Dew 24 Eland 25 Trod 26 Dawn 27 Spar

international experience.
In the quarter-finals Kirby faced a young team captained the last few boards. The full winning team was:

It is the first time that a team including three women has won

Double

points or more.

(1) A pass shows either 0-6

(2) An unrehearsed manoeuvre

club shows 0-6 points or 17

(4) Normally this pass should

show at least three clubs. Sowier

thought a pass might be the best way to avoid the flak.

(6) On the assumption that

North has at least three clubs,

The Landy team bid six no

Here is the other side of the

this medicine will be as

trumps in the closed room,

scoring 990. One club doubled

Gold Cup Final. East-West

♥ 72 ♦ K43 ♣ 865

Sowter

(2) Playing standard methods the East hand presents a

dangerous but possible overcall.

Sowter can pass in the know-ledge that if Lodge has 17 points

he will bid, and if he has 0-6 the

(3) The bidding has developed

well for Sowier. Now he can

double with no danger of

They tore two clubs to shreds.

extracting a 500 penalty from

Should such systems be

allowed? In congresses or events

designed primarily for ama-

teurs, certainly not. But in the

Gold Cup, which is recognized

as the premier tournament in

the bridge calendar, any system

acceptable in international competition should be permit-

ted. After all, tennis players

good enough to play at Wimble-

don are not entitled to complain

that they cannot return McEnroe's service.

(4) Lodge converts into

risk outweighs the gain.

misleading his partner.

oenalty double.

No (2) Double (3)

game. Dealer South

Lodge

No (1)

No (4)

(1) 0-6 or 17 pius.

Too good to be true?

points, or 17 points or more.

heroine's hands but Nicola by Paul Hackett, who is no

Sowter and Lodge have

Prizes of the New Collins Concise English dictionary will be given for the lirst two correct solutions opened on Thursday, August 2, 1984. Entries should be addressed to The Times Concise Crossword Competition, 12 Coky Street, London WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be

Book illustrations (7)

SOLUTION TO No 404 ACROSS: 1 Stigma 5 Recipe 8 Tui 9 Sunset 10 Salary 11 Abba 12 Carbolic 14 Become 17 Creole 19 Chairman 22 Plum 24 Abseil 25 Earful 26 Cap 27 Attest 28 Torque DOWN: 2 Thumb 3 Gestapo 4 Attache 5 Riser 6 Cello 7 Partial 13 Bar 15 Exhibit 16 Mar 17 Concept 18 Emperor 20 Irene 21 Mulet

Recommended dictionary is the New Collins The winners of prize concise No 399 are: Mr J. Allen, Highcroft, Bones Lane, Buriton, Peters-field, Hampshire; and Mr E. Stevens, 18 Middle

Way, Lewes, East Sussex. SOLUTION TO No 405, AND ANOTHER PRIZE CROSSWORD.



At first sight it seems vulgar. With its blatant commercial exploitation of the Arthurian myths (Isolde turned into an ashtray, Guinevere into a car sticker), and a main street full of cafes, souvenir shops and an amusement arcade, Tintagel appears only a little different from any popular tourist resort. Scholars may be sceptical about Arthur's authenticity, but the locals have no doubts: he makes money, therefore he was. A pleasantly redeeming feature is that self-parody is creeping in. as the Excaliburgers on offer at the King Arthur's Arms surely

But Tintagel is white to reveal in secrets to those who street. The best the place has to offer is very fine indeed, but it will be seen only by those who put their faith in their feet, or, better still, hire a horse from the local stables. I took the advice of one local guide book and did just this and, once in the saddle, headed for the cliffs.

The rewards are well worth the effort. Tintagel has one of the finest and most dramatically beautiful stretches of coastline, just as long as you have head enough for heights to be able to appreciate it. Some find the experience appalling even terrifying. Walter de la Mare confessed that he felt safe only when he had crossed the Tamar back into Devon. Charles Dickens, on his visit to Tintagel with Thackeray in 1842, recalls how he "grovelled and clung to the soil" as he climbed the path to the castle.
One should not be put off by

bad weather. It seemed to bring the best out in Turner, who travelled extensively around the Cornish coast making sketches, among them one of Tintagel Castle, enlivened by stormy and atmospheric effects. Viewing the cliffs on a stormy day, with Jeremy Flint an angry sea leaping high up the chapel, named after the famous

The stuff of myths – and profit walls of the grey slate below, and a salty spray spitting in your face, can be an experience

It was just that kind of day when we set out from Trevillett Farm, for what David and Shirley Keyte call their ride "across" rather than "over" the cliffs (their brochure is carefully worded to forestall any anxiety). Our route took us first downbill towards Tintagel, along deep cut lanes bounded

by hedgerows full of colourisis was flowers that so typify Cornwall - violet, celandine, bluebell - and masses of red campion. We emerged from a country

lane, passing the ourskirts of Bossiney, famous for its mound", under which, according to one Cornish tradition, King Arthur's Round Table lies buried - its other claim to fame being that, as a rotten borough, it once sent Sir Francis Drake to Parliament.

The road took us on through Tintagel's main street, passing the old post office on our left (now in the care of the National Trust, and, according to Pevsner, the "most famous of Cornish stone cottages" of "slaty hue like elephant skin"), and King Arthur's Hall and the Hall of Chivalry on our right. Erected in the 1930s by one Frederick Thomas Glasscock (who made a fortune out of custard), the halls were built for a new Fellowship of the Order of the Round Table, using more than

50 types of Cornish stone. I was glad to leave the gift shop frontages behind, as we took a left turning away from the town towards the parish church. The lane sloped down, and climbed up again. Down in the dip was the Fontevrault

few moments to admire the medieval arch, and the secluded tiny wayside shrine tucked inside. church - a Norman building on a bleak and isolated cliff top -

and dismounted to explore. Outside in the churchyard an oak cross with a lifebuoy attached marked the grave of a 14-year-old boy who perished in the wreck of the lota against Back in the saddie, we made out on to Glebe Cliff, from

dence of King Arthur. It is no place for the sceptic. The fact that Arthur belongs to the Dark Ages, and that Geoffrey of Monmouth chose to popularize what is in fact a in the distance. twelfth-century castle for his abode, seems wholly justifiable in spirit, if not in hard fact. He



French Abbey. We paused for a

We continued up to the inspiration ever since.

which we got our first glimpse of the castle itself. Stuck on a rocky promontory, on Tintagel Head, these ruined fragments on the jagged cliffs are all that remain of the traditional resi-

may have transposed the king some six centuries, but the medieval setting seems to fit.

The Arthur myth broods over the whole of Tintagel - if there had been no King Arthur, the Cornish would surely have had to invent one. Malory and Spenser were inspired by the legend; and the castle ruins have been a magnet for those seeking

Directly beneath the castle is Merlin's Cave, piercing through the cliff, where legend says the wizard discovered the infant Arthur washed ashore. The swirling waters remind you of swiring waters remain you of the other legend attached to Tintagel that of Tristan and Isolde, who fell in fore when Tristan sailed from these shores to Ireland, to fetch Isolde as the bride for his uncle King Mark
After gazing sufficiently to satisfy our romantic instincts. we turned back to explore further along the cliff in the other direction. We were now

The cliff edges are lined with sea pink, furze and gorse, with occasional clumps of luxuriant fern. It is a contrast to the granite and the grey slate of the cliffs - the youth hostel which we passed used to be the offices of a sizte quarry. Gulls circled above us, the cliff tops abound in colonies of kestrels and sparrow-hawks and many others.

riding west, towards Trebar-

with, with views of Gull Rock

We turned back inland further up the coast, taking a country lane towards Condolden, an open area where there are tumuli and barrows. We let the horses gallop round the edge of farmers' fields, and then along a stretch of what used to be Roman road, until the stones were taken up and used to rainforce hedges and gates. Beyond us sprawled the land-

Anne Whitehouse

David and Shirley Keyte, Trevillett Parc Farm, Tintagel, Comwall (0840 770682). Riding £4 per hour, 25 for 1 ½-hour rides along cliffs. Day rides and picrac rides by arrangement. Full board 250 per

# Sweet muted strings and a famous fugue

The symphonies Haydn wrote in the late 1760s and early in the late 1760s and early 1770s (usually called Sturm and Drang symphonies by analogy Amonico, Dreek Sciences (violit). Drang symphonies by analogy with the German literary movement which actually erupted rather later) are unsur-L'Estro Armonico, directed by Derek Solomons, have already produced one lively box of these symphonies for CBS, and they now follow that up with a second collection including some of Haydn's greatest pieces. It is announced somewhat baidly as "Vol 8", presumably a shorthand for saying that the ensemble is now committed to recording the whole Haydn symphonic output of which this will eventually be the eighth chronological instalment (it would have been appropriate to explain this in the booklet).

There is surely no more taut, cogent and affecting symphony in the whole of the eighteenth century than Haydn's E Minor, the "Trauer", composed around 1770-1; with its tense unisons and fierce tutti outbursts in the outer movements (the finale is a construction around one theme which attains a quite frightening intensity in the development), its cerie quasi-academic minuet in canon form and its sublimely decorated slow movement (which Haydn wanted to be played at his funeral). How does it emerge here? Certainly with vivid incisiveness in the fast movements, which are very fast, with a bite and devil-may-care scratchy quality which gives them an alarming sense of

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But in the slow movement, the sweet quality of the muted strings in the opening bars gives

drive and passion.



Haydn: Unsurpassed

"This Regency work table", said

the owner. "was one of my-own

little purchases. Cost me £200

but worth every penny, don't you

"Cheap at the price", said the valuer. "But it isn't Regency.

Early Victorian, about 1845."
"Then I shall take it back and

demand a refund. If they refuse,

I'll have them prosecuted for misrepresentation. Trades De-scription Act, the Weights and

Measures people - all that."
"I wouldn't, if I were you.

There was one of very similar design in Christie's last January,

complete with padded foot-board like this, that sold for about £480. True, it was

stamped with the name of a

good maker - Holland and Sons making it that much more

interesting to a collector.
On the other hand, it was

oak, whereas yours is in figured

walnut and commercially very desirable as a piece of frivolous,

"Do you have to be so

patronizing? Just because it was

intended for semale use. When

where these things first made,

Probably about 1770. They went on being produced in a

variety of designs until after

1900, when the Edwardians

"But surely the design was always basically the same, more

revived some earlier styles."

feminine furniture."

anyway?

99-1 J. S. Bach: Passacaglis BWV 582; Pastorale BWV 590; Canzona BWV 588; Allabreve BWV 589 Ton Koopman (organ). Archiv 413 162-1

way to some very insecure intonation, and the minuet is also less than confident. The instrumental sounds speak very effectively, and the rhythms are very hard driven by Derek Solomons (who leads from the first violin desk). But we need more. If this gut strength could be wedded to, say, the sophisti-cation of the English Concert, we might be nearer the mark

One thing is perfect, however, and that is the horn playing. Earlier Haydn symphonics use four of them at once, and there is a brilliant solo horn symphony (No 51) to come in the next instalment. But nothing matches the extravagance of the bright, high-register burbling for two horns in No 48, which is as brilliant as any trumpet fanfare

later, inauthentic editions added unnecessary trumpets -

or the subtle touches of orchestration in No 44: the doubling of the violins in the minuet's trio, the odd single notes in the first movement, and the sudden ethereal major triad in the last movement as the tumult subsides.

The wind playing is the more prominent because only a handful of strings are used, including most surprisingly only one each of viola, cello and bass. This seems to me too few for the balance of the music. Is it historically justified? Robbins Landon's evidence is slightly equivocal: he suggests that the standard Esterhaza orchestra from 1766 to 1767 had indeed one of each (possibly two violas), but his orchestra lists show that there were at least three performers around who could have played cello. I cannot believe that they would not have all been roped in for the ceremonial grandeur of the "Maria Theresa". But the smallscale "Mercury" works beautifully with these forces, as does, the sober, plainsong-inspired Lamentatione No 26.

vations about the scale of the performances on the first of Ton Koopman's

Workhorses at play

Walnut wizardry: An early

Victorian work table

partments to hold the silks and

reels of cotton and, below that, a sort of sliding bin for storing

work in progress? Any differ

ences were only in the details, weren't they?"

that. Not all work tables had foldover tops and, of those that

had, many were inlaid inside as boards for chess and backgam-mon, in place of the baize which

was meant as much for card-

playing as for hard graft. Indeed, the type is often called a

work-and-games table, suggest-

There's a bit more to it than

series of Bach organ recitals for Archiv. Now he has produced two more records of marguably large-scale pieces, and the benefits of his idiosyncratic style are more clearly felt.

The most successful accounts are of the famous D minor Toccata and Fugue on the first record (you will not recognize the opening flourishes, broken up, jumpy, and brilliantly effective) and of the C minor Passacaglia on the second record (where Koopman boldly keeps a single registration almost throughout the tumul-tuously varied set of variations and final fugue). These are thrilling, elsewhere, there are some awkwardnesses and the power of the music fails to come through - particularly in the crashing F major Toccata (which is marred by a rather distant, foggy recording) and in the moto perpetuo of the "Dorian" Toccata (which is rushed). But these are stimulating, thought-provoking read-ings: I have found myself returning to them far more often than to smoother, more

Operatic originator: Edouard Lalo who discarded 19th century this are considerable. The slow Nicholas Kenyon



# Strange chaste beauty from an instinctive music maker

Sir William Glock pointed out that Artur Schnabel was one of the first musicians of his time to EX 29 0072 3 (2 discs). Arran has written admiringly of the total last of preconception in his playing both pianists. significantly, came to Mozart only late in life. The HMV Treasury now adds to its collection of Beethoven and Schubert with concerto recordings from the 1930s and 1940s, invaluable to the collector and revelatory to those of us who now hear Mozart with differently tuned cars.

First the drawbacks. The acoustic is boxy, limited, if almost noiseless; the integrity of Schnabel's musical literalism at times leads him to the peremptory or perverse, as, for instance, in the Finale of K466 and the Larghetto of K595 respectively, Barbirolli's orchestral tuttis in K595 remind us that in 1934 legato beauty still meant connecting intervals with honeydew. And you may or may not relish the glimpse of Schnabel as composer in the extraordinary atonal cadenzas

The rewards for tolerating all

his pack of recordings. Some of

tial record for all McCormack

admirers, others are more

recent discoveries, such as the

immaculate rendering of "By

the Short Cut to the Rosses".

Side 2 has some musically drear

man's James Galway.

Mozart: Piano Sonatas K331, 332/Fantasia KV 397 Mitsuko Uchida. Philips 412 123-1, cassette 412 123-4. CD 412 123-2. No 3 Sgouros/Berlin

Etudes/Arabeske Maurizio Pollini. DG 410 916-1. Liszt: Late chember music Leeuw/Beths/Bijlsma. Philips 411 117-1, cassette 411 117-4.

a rare, unforced transparency:

the bareness, through lack of ornamentation, in Romanze stimulates Schnabel to recreate a strange, chaste beauty, while in K491 the two periods of its four-bar entry are unusually graciously, gently shaped.

cianship (his teacher once said he was too much of a musician to be a pianist) brings the breath of Figaro into the opening of K466 and, by the meticulous weighting and timbre of the accompanying quavers, sustains an exceptionally slow tempo at the centre of K.595. Where much was denied,

textually, to Schnabel, either as a consequence of his own reverence for the text, or because of the contemporary state of research, Mitsuko Uchida makes intelligent and imaginative use of suggestion and invention. In the Adams of the tracks come from the the K322 Sonata, for instance, company's old Camden label, she filters her own embellishments in with decoration from both autograph and published edition, and in the D minor Fantasia changes the arbitrary closing bars of the Breitkopf

The result, however, is not material, which makes McCortotally dissimilar to Schnabel. Ms Uchida has the same mack sound like the singing intuitive sense for the contour It is a pity that Dame Kiri Te of a melody, for its points of Kanawa does not have McCorrest, for the pointing of a mack's ease, and beautiful harmonic turn: her variations in diction, with a popular song. the K331 are rapt, intimately Some of the items on Come to eloquent with the subtlest the Fair are distinctly heavyemphases and silences. weight and Dame Kiri is not at

Nothing could be in greater her best when being skittish contrast than Dimitris Sgou-(although "I have a bonnet trimmed with blue" is an ros's recording of Rachmaninov's Third Piano Concerto, the exception). There are some work with which this piano other pleasures on a record with professor, aged 15, made his distinctly short sides, but the debut here and in the United general feeling, which applies to Douglas Gamley's arrangements, is one of lethargy. Everything, whether on the

surface or latently, is scorching: he has both the resources and John Higgins best of all, the daring, to build

and sustain extraordinary dismaxes, while remaining looselimbed, almost blithe, in the opening. The close recording of the Berlin Philharmonic under Yuri Simonov reinforces the exuberant physicality of this performance, which, even when running headlong, is never merely beadstrong.

Sgouros's previous recital record was of Schumann's Etudes Symphoniques, with the posthumous Variations. Maurizio Pollini is the latest to record them, choosing the 1837 version, and grouping the five Variations together after the fifth Eude. Pollini, turning nonchalance into purling pianism at this point, persuades us that there is no better way. And who better than he to draw out the logic and imaginative freedom, the clear thinking as well as the accoustic beauty the work?

Liszt's last years were happier artistically than Schumann's. and a group of Dutch musicians make a valuable addition to the chamber versions of works more commonly heard on the piano. The more vibrant voice of the cello, for instance, in the second piano version of lugubre gondole" adds an inevitable expressive gloss to what is, when heard on the keyboard alone, an unnervingly austere work

But in "La notte", a medi-Penseroso", the violins tremolando becomes a ghostly spirit. conjuring up irresistibly the spectre of the Hungarian rhapsody and of travels and times

Hilary Finch



Mozart: Time to be

#### Fight the wars with braying brass of John McCormack's birth with another hand dealt from

century French opera sung by a French-speaking cast are rare enough. So for that reason alone a welcome goes this month to Lalo's *Le Roi d'Ys* (complete) and Delibes's *Lakme* (highlights). The snag is that both recordings, made by Pathé Marconi, date back several

even tiddly-winks with my

husband, you wouldn't think of

them as frivolous pastimes.

Games are the only subject he takes with deadly seriousness."

"Which is why men's gaming tables were rather more sub-

stantial. Ladies in the late

eighteenth century were seen as light-hearted in their approach

to both work and play.
"Sheraton designed what he

called a table with a bag, used

by the ladies to work at, in which bag they deposit their fancy needlework. The bag was

known as a pouch, and the table

as a pouch-table. It was meant for those who liked to play at working, rather than for the

really industrious."
"Well, perhaps. But I often
use mine when I have to sew on

"Arduous in the extreme, but

yours is sufficiently robust to

withstand the strain. Some of

1780s have four tapered legs of

the most fragile kind. After

about 1800, the Regency period

produced two principal types -

one having a turned centre-column with four splayed feet,

and the other with end-sup-ports, a little like this but less

chunky and often shaped as

lyres, complete with brass rods as strings. All very neoclassi-

"Orpheus and his hate."

"That was the general idea. Greek, Roman and Egyptian styles were all the rage. Then, in the mid-to-late Victorian era,

end-supports, or a trio of cabriole feet projecting from a

centre-column.
"Walnut veneers decorated with

marquetry; not only for the top

but sometimes, in place of the silk, for the pouch too."

"And how expensive are these

"A satinwood example, 1780-

various bits of frivolity likely to

1800, is likely to set you back £1,000 - considerably more if painted in the Angelica Kauff-

mann style. Even a pretty Edwardian copy sells for about

£300. A Regency resewood one

with lyre ends, with brass inlaid

decoration and reversible chess-

board top as optional extras is upwards of £1,500.

period, but in mahogany and on

a centre-column with splayed feet, would be in the £500-£800

bracket. A late-Victorian piece

in walnut, with shaped top,

showy end-supports and a bit of

marquetry would cost about £400-£600, and a slightly later

one with the trumpet or icecream corner base, £300-

£450. But obviously, much

depends on quality, condition

Peter Philp

One of about the same

hole thing became fussica

ion or darn a sock."

little but still in mono only, from 1957, when France, with some help from neighbouring Belgium, had sturdier singers than it does now. The work, first heard in 1888, was a crucial one in which Lalo threw off the shackles of Paris Opéra convention, which demanded among other things a central ballet, and composed in something quite close to a Wagnerian tradition. It is his misfortune to have written an aubade to tempt every lyric tenor, "Vainement ma bien aimée", which is quite unrepresentative of the score as a whole but remains by far the I shared some of the reserbest known number in the

Lalo: Le Roi d'Ys Micheau/Gorr/Legay/Borthayre.
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John McCormack, The Irish Kiri Te Kanawa : Come to the Fair

it should be sung, surrounded by a chorus of maidens (rather

The real Roi d'Ys is a noisy opera, with braying brass and declamatory vocal lines, about the mythical kingdom con-stantly threatened by warring factions and tidal waves off the coast of Brittany, Rita Gort, Covent Garden and Janine Michean are the sisters in love with the same warrior.

Michean's voice sounds by contrast a little pinched, but she makes much of her Act II aria in which Rozenn accuses her work. Nevertheless, it is a little too hard. Andre Cluytens, pleasure to hear Henri Legay who conducted what is prob-sing it with pure head tones, as ably still the best Faust in the

GALLERIES

Gedda), gives Lalo sympathetic treatment, although the orches-tra in this 25-year-old recording is not exactly prominent. A decade later came Lombard and Lakme, from which EMI allow only the highlights. Delibe's opera has been neglected, although like Le Roi d'Ys it could have been collected by visitors to the Wexford Festival Mady Mesplé, whose light and silvery

coloratura has been praised on this page before now, is ideally cast in the title role of the Brahminee who goes to her death after eating the leaf of the fatal dottura but not before giving us the famous Bell Song, intoned here with an accuracy once a famous Amneris at any church steeple would admire. Charles Burles, a tenor very much in the mould of Legay (and Villabella before him) is Gerald, the English army officer who intrudes on the Hindu faith. British Airways have appropriated the music of the Act I duet (sop./Mezzo) so perhaps Delibes was a high flyer

RCA celebrate the centenary



IMAGE OF THE WEEK: Tommy Steele and the Dallas Boys (see Pop People, right)

### Photography

HEATHER ANGEL Kodak Gallery, 109 High Holborn, London WC1 (405 7841). Until Aug 23, Mon-Fri Sam-5pm Heather Angel Who has long been known for her wonderful photographs of the natural world here incluiges her passion for British gardens in connexion with her latest book, A Camera in the Garden. Beautiful colour photographs of some of the finest gardens in the British Isles capture

the mood of hot lazy days, bees and fragrant borders. POP PEOPLE Hamiltons Gallery, 13 Carlos Place, London W1 (499 9493). Until Aug 4, Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm, Sat

10am-5pm
This gallery continues its selection of racy shows but at last comes up with something which goes beyond its usual superficiality. Harry Hammond has been photographing pop personalities since the late 1940s and here presents a 1960s; a show tinged with all the nostalgia of the evanescent world of pop heroes yet of invaluable worth to cultural historians. LIFE IN BRITAIN

Carlson Street, Hockley, Nottingham (0602 582536). Until Aug 4, Tues-Fri 11am-7.30pm, Sat

newspaper cuttings. Picture Post features - culled from the early movement which was founded in investigate and recored life in photographs of the Worktown Project, 1937-38 are also shown;

FELIX MAN AND **ERICH SALOMON** National Museum of Photography. Princes View, Bradford, West Yorkshire (0274 727488). Until Aug 19, Tues-Sat noon-8pm, Sun 2.30-6pm

Man began to take photographs with a box camera in Germany before the First World War. He was a prolific contributor to Münchner litustrierte in the late 1920s and 1930s and went on to join Weekly Illustrated and Picture Post in this country. Salomon is considered the father of the candid photograph and, like Man, worked extensive in Germany before his death in Auschwitz in 1944.

**BRITISH PHOTOGRAPHY:** 1839-1900 Victoria and Albert Museum London (589 6371). Until Aug 19, Mon-Thurs 10am-5.30pm, Sat 10am-5.30pm, Sun 2.30-5.30pm The best British photography of the period. All prints are original and the majority are from the V&A's own collection. Catalogue able, price £9.95.

Michael Young

## Openings

THE MISSES VICKERS: Centenary exhibition on a picture the subje of which were somewhat unkindly dubbed "three ugly young women from Sheffield" John Singer Sargent painted them. With the help of documentation and descendants of the sitters

record is set straight, and the nting put into its artistic and Mappin Art Gallery, Weston Park, Sheffield (0742 26281). Opens today until Sept 30, Mon-Fri 10am-5pm, Sat 2pm-5pm.

OFF THE BEATEN TRACK: An exhibition where the title preceded the work: each year a group of women artists called the Circuit Painters chose a theme for their summer show and then set to. Includes work by Adina Bartram, Antoinette Wijnberg and Joan

Russell. Christopher Hull Gallery, 670 Futham Road, London SW6 (736 4120). From Thurs until Aug 31, Tues-Fri 10am-5pm; Set 10am-4pm. Closed Sun. ARTISTS OF TODAY AND

TOMORROW: Another summer

show, this time of work by both established and younger artists. Those represented include Elizabeth Frink, Ruskin Spear and Julian Trevelyan. New Grafton Gallery, 49 Church Road, Barnes, London SW1 (748 8850). From Wed until Sep 1, Tues-Sat 10am-5.30pm. Closed Sun and

THOMAS HODGE, THE GOLFING ARTIST: Preview for golf fanatics: exhibition at Sotheby's of an important rare collection - 80 strong - of golfing pictures by

Thomas Hodge, discovered last year, and due to be auctioned. Sotheby's Upper Gallery, Bloomfield Place, London W1 (493 8080) from Mon until Aug 3, Mon-Fri 9am - 4.30pm.

PAINTINGS BY WOLE OYEYEM! PAINTINGS BY WOLE OYEYEM: Images of contemporary African iffe by the 30-year old Nigerian artist, transported direct from Lagos. Commonwealth Institute, Kersmitte High Street, London W8 (603 4535). Opera Inurs until Aug 27, Mon-Sat 10am-5.30pm; Sun 2-5pm.

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WILLIAM ROBERTS 1895-1980. AN ARTIST AND HIS FAMILY The National Portrait Gallery, London WC2 (930 1552). Until Oct 7, Mon-Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 2pm-6pm

Forty from the dozens of paintings by William Roberts of himself and his family over a period of 60 years. A fascinating chronicle of a marriage providing insight into an artist who, after his involvement th the Vorticist Movement in 1914, and active service in the First World War, largely dissociated

TREASURY OF SAN MARCO. British Museum, London WC1 (636, 1555). Until Sept 2, Mon-Set 10em-6pm, Sun 2.30-6pm International travelling show, en route between Paris and Germany, of chalices, icons, alter furnishings and reliqueries from the storehouse of St Mark's, Some came to Venice as plunder from the s, others as diplomatic gifts to the Doges. Craftsmen represented were from Byzantium, the islamic countries and the

## The pseudonymous iconographer A. R. Penck doesn't actually West German dealer. This year mise". One thing seems certain

exist, although if you go to the Tate Gallery on Wednesday you will find an exhibition of works attributed to that name. The person responsible for the massive, totem-like images that comprise the first in a new series of exhibitions of contemporary art is Ralf Winkler, currents—of Hackney, east

An East German, born in 1939 in Dresden, over the years Ralf Winckler has undergone a number of identity changes. "Penck", a name now kept for

business purposes only, was originally adopted to deceive East German authorities. When

his work was banned, Winkler was secretly signed up by Michael Werner, the powerful



he represented West Germany at the Venice Biennale.

that money has replaced poli-tics: "The only sign that interests dealers is the sign of Having lived for a while in West Germany and Dublin, the dollar". Winkler came to London last year. Long-haired and bearded like a troll, he lives in a house In his current work, such as a series of seven paintings in-spired by the miners' strike, he is continuing to use his distincstrewn with possessions, some-what in the manner of his works, leaving no space unfilled. tive iconography (man/woman; Last week the living room looked like a battlefield of papers and books, with the power/oppression; parsuit). Each item owes its existence to a combination of what he calls "optical logic" (intuitive visual decisions) as well as a form of added interest of cannonballs for paperweights, a miniature reportage. And so he cannot policeman's helmet on the floor and liberal squiggles on the explain on the one hand the lettering that appears here and

Winkler says. "Now I'm less

"In the East, my head was full of political theories",

rise of women is a particularly English problem". One of the paintings in the show is "Dinner at Brown's Hotel", based on a gathering of friends and dealers last year, to mark the opening of the Baselitz exhibition at the Whitechapel. Here Winkler has abandoned

his stickmen for more rounded forms, with himself as an abstract hiatus: and so the quest for the true Winkler goes on.

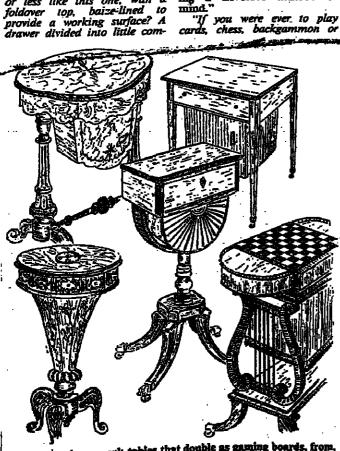
there, retorting, "You English are too verbal", whereas he is

happy to explain the presence of

enormous female forms: "The

Sarah Jane Checkland

"A. R. Penck: Brown's Hotel and other paintings" opens on Wed at the Tate Gallery, Milibank, London SW1 (821 1313). Until Nov 4, Mon-



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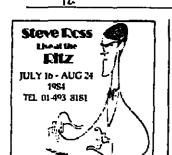
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# Of Duke, Louis, Fats, Billie and all that jazz

As Fats Waller used to holler to accompaniment of his piano strings, "The joint is jumping; it's really jumping." The BBC has suddenly gone jazz crazy and is unleashing 12 hours of it on to our television screens this weekend.

Will the population forgo the call of the great outdoors to contemplate this canned music? For jazz to appeal it should surely be live entertainment, preferably in a smoke-filled room, with spirit in both senses of the word, and the oppor-tunity for applause and moans of appreciation to mingle with the texture of the music.

But alas, many of the true-jazz giants are dead, and the only way to catch a morsel of their original flavour is to watch archive material on the rare occasions it appears on television. It seems that such footage will provide quite a feast in Jazz on a Summer's Day on BBC2 today and

Two documentaries written and presented by Russell Davies will be shown a repeat of Duke Ellington and his Famous Orchestra, and a new documentary about Louis Armstrong Laughin Louis. This charts Satchmo's life, from childhood on the poverty line in the red-light district of Story-ville, New Orleans, when raglime music and street parades were his only solace, to universal fame in later life, when he sang "What a Wonder-ful World" in his gravelly voice.

Six more films from a period of 40 years with show straight performances by other jazz masters. The first, Jammin' the Blues, was made in 1944 and is heing transmitted tomorrow as a result of a passionate campaign by Russell Davies, who first saw it in America. It is a rare 10-minute film of the tenor saxophonist Lester Young, accompanied by Barney Kessel on guitar with vocals by Mary

The Sound Of Jazz, filmed in 1957, which includes performances by Billie Holiday, Jimmy Rushing, Thelonius Monk and Coleman Hawkins, also receives its first showing on British television, followed by Jazz on a Summer's Day: the movie, a recording of the '958 Newport Jazz Festival featuring Jack Teagarden, George Shearing and Dinah Washington There, are also Washington. There are also films of Miles Davis performing in 1959, Tubby Hayes in 1965 and Ella Fitzgerald in 1974.

Some spirited performances appear as a reward for sitting patiently through the tedium of a dated feature film of 1962, It's Trad Dad, starting Helen Shapiro and Craig Douglas as

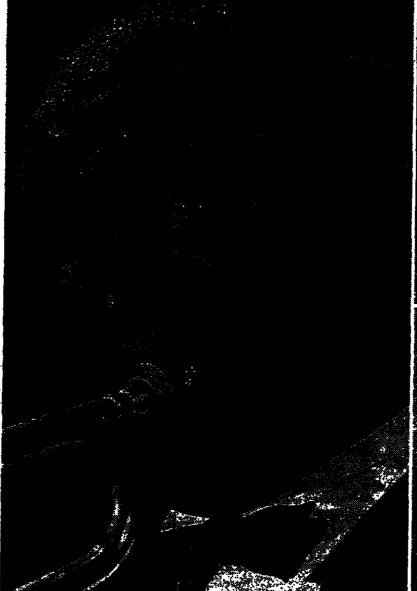
Programme choice

some musicians to help them save their local coffee-bar, Famous Five style. They are lucky enough to recruit Acker Bilk, Kenny Ball and the Temperance Seven What remains unexplained is why the BBC has used such a found-about way of providing their music when these jazzmen are still alive, still performing the same numbers as they were in 1962, and would presumably have been delighted to swing for today's cameras.

Of the 14 programmes, only one features contemporary jaz in a concert recorded recently at the 100 Club in London with the Stan Tracey Quartet, and the Pizza Express All-Stars with Brian Lemon (piano) Len Skeat (bass) and Dave Shephard (clarinet).

Sarah Jane Checkland

Today: 3.10-4.30pm, introduction by Humphrey Lytielton and Russell Davies, followed by it's Trad Dad; 8.25-7.15pm, Arena: Jazz Juke-Box 11, George Melly with Sim Gaillard; 7.30-8.05pm, Jazz 625 with Tubby Hayes; 8.05-9.20pm, Duke Ellington and his Famous Orchestra; 9.20-10.10pm, Jazz at the 100 Club; 11.10pm-12.30em Jazz on a Summer's Day, the Jazz on a Summer's Day, the movie; 12.30-1.30am, Elia Fitzgerald at Ronnie Scott's. Tomorrow: 7.45-8.10pm, The Sound of Miles Davis; 8.10-8.25pm, Jammin the Blues; 8.25-9.40pm, Laughin Louis; 9.40-10.30pm, The Sound of Jazz; 10.30pm-12.20am, The Benny Goodman Story, 12.20-12.55am, Jazz at the 100 Club (2). All programmes on BBC2.







### Selected

BORN TO RUN: Limbering up for the Olympics, a Channel 4
documentary on the great British
athlete who mysteriously ran out of
steam: Sebastian Coe. in 1981 Coe
was considered invincible, achieving world records by the dozen, then suddenly came a series of setbacks through injury and illness culminating in Coe's withdrawai from last year's world Ch 4 today, 8-9pm

PLAYING SHAKESPEARE: There may be millions of words written about Shakespeare every year, but, as John Barton, director of many Royal Shakespeare
Company productions says "Very
little is put on paper about how to
get to act him", A nine-pirt series
of televised workshops in which
well-known actors discuss the Bard and his intentions. Ch 4, tomorrow, 7.15-8.15pm.

"V": No, the 31 glant UFOs cities are not part of another advertisement for British Airways invasion of the earth, in an American sci-fi blockbuste two young jazz fans who enlist scheduled to darken your screens

every evening this week. Starring Marc Singer, Faye Grant, Jane Badler and Richard Herd. All ITV regions, Mon, 9-10pm, 10.30-11.20pm, and every night until Fri (various times).

MIDDLETOWN: Another American blockbuster, this time in six parts. A detailed look at a particular community in the US, covering a major aspect of life in each episode, starting with The

Campaign, when two men battle for the job of Mayor. Ch4, Mon, 9-10.30pm, and every night until Fri (various times). THE CRY: A welcome Play for Today with political edge. Adrian

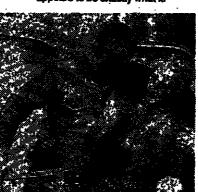
Dunbar plays a young London newspaper reporter who returns to Ulster for a holiday with his parents and finds himself getting emotionally and professionally involved in the nasty incident he

witnesses on his first night home. With Michael Duffy and Doreen Keogh. BBC1, Tues, 9.25-10.20pm.

HARTY GOES TO HOLLYWOOD: You either love or hate him, but he will be providing relief from all that pulling, pushing and straining under the Los Angeles heat haze. Russell Harty is in Hollywood to find out how the other half lives. BBC2, Wed, 8-8.30pm.

LOOKS FAMILIAR: Denis Norden is back with the thirteenth series, looking at the 1930s and 1940s. chatting with Emie Wise, Kenneth Williams and Michael Parkinson. Ch 4, Thurs, 8-8.45pm.

THE MAKING OF A CONTINENT: Red indians talk of magic in them there hills: one day the stony mass will rise up and drive the white man away from their lands; and that



tottering paces by the dogged Polly Toynbee. And she's already been through a lot: from making studies of a Beisen concentration camp, to researching the effects of radiation on humans. BBC1, Prt, 9:25-10.05pm.

# A Watson whose brain is not so elementary

No other fictional character has attracted so much, and such varied, cinematic attention. The great detective of Baker Street has been the subject of more than 100 films, easily beating his nearest rivals Dracula and

The famous pipe has been smoked by such unlikely Victo-rians as Larry Hagman, Roger rights as Larry Hagman, Roger Moore, George C. Scott, Tom Baker and Peter Cook. The loyal Watson has been portrayed acceptably by Colin Blakely, James Mason and Robert Duvall, and dreadfully by Dudley Moore. One actor of the 1930s, Reginald Owen, managed the unique double of playing both Holmes and Watson, though in different

Arthur Conan Doyle would not have recognized many of the stories imposed on his Pastiche, parody and "new" adventures have complemented the original tales, with sometimes appalling results.

The visual image of Holmes is irrevocably founded on Paget's illustrations of the detective which accompanied his first appearance in the Strand Magazine. Watson describes him as over 6ft, excessively lean, with sharp, piercing eyes, a thin, hawk-like nose and prominent chin. Many Baker Street aficionados regard Ar-thur Wontner, in his handful of films in the 1930s, as the definitive Holmes, but it is Basil Rathbone who is now most closely associated with the role. Between 1939 and 1946 Rathbone appeared in 14 films, in

happening. This documentary investigates why the Great Basin between the Rocky Mountains and the Sterra Nevada in California is

approaches when it will be possible to choose a baby's characteristics before its birth, when animal farms

will be set up in which limbs and organs are cultivated, and when

patients rather than doctors can make decisions on when to die. In

four programmes, John Ashworth, Vice Chancellor of Salford

University, considers what the world will be file in the year 2050 with the help of a panel which includes Shirley Williams and

WOMEN OF OUR CENTURY: Dame

Richard Gergeory, Professo Neuropsychology at Bristol

Janet Vaughan, the eminent scientist, academic now aged

85, is taken through her now

University. Ch 4, Fri, 8-9pm.

being torn apart. BBC1, Fri, 6.45-7,40pm.

EARTH YEAR 2050: A time

Films on TV

each attended by Nigel Bruce as his Watson. Only one partnership has

come near to challenging the Rathbone-Bruce dominance. In 1959 Peter Cushing and Andre Morell came together for The Hound of the Baskervilles, the most often filmed of the Holmes stories (tonight, Channel 4. 11.30pm-1.10am). Nigel Bruce had played Watson as a rather dim, bumbling buffoon. Morell gave

him more depth and intelligence, more a partner than a comic foil. Cushing's Holmes was less stylized than Rath-bone's, the detective's eccentricities less exaggerated. Un-fortunately, the two were never to combine again. Their claim to be accepted as the best ever Holmes and Watson remains tantalizingly unanswered. This version of The Hound

the first in colour, was made by Hammer Films, who initially saw it as only a slight departure from their normal run of blood-and-gothic horror. With its hints of the supernatural, bloodrarding visions and sounds.

The Hound seemed archetypal

Hammer fodder. Both Cushing

and the director, Terence

Fisher, were regular Hammer fixtures, as was Christopher Lee, who played Sir Henry Baskerville (and was, coinciden tally, later to play Holmes in a German production).

Fortunately, the excesses of the horror genre were avoided, if occasionally only narrowly. The Hammer ballmarks are not entirely absent, but The Hound relatively faithful, imaginative. entertaining film with first-class acting and good atmospheric direction. Conan Doyle might have approved.

#### Marcel Berlins

Also recommended:
Go West (1925): Buster Keaton's uneven, always inventive, occasionally fillarious comedy in which he plays the city slicker who moves to the country and falls for a Jersey cow. (Channel 4, today 2.30-3.50pm)

Jazz on a Summer Day (1958): Glorious evocation of one of the most magical of all jazz festivals, at Newport Rhode Island in 1958. Anita O'Day's "Tea for Two" and Mahalia Jackson's moving edition of the Lord's Prayer are memorable. (BBC2, tonight 11.10pm. - 12.30em)

The Benny Goodman Story (1965): Amiable, not especially accurate bio-pic of the jazz clarinetist and band-leader comes to life when the music starts. Steve Allen plays the lead, but fortunately Goodman himself plays the clarinet. (BBC2, tomorrow 10.30pm - 12.30am)

## CONCERTS

# Celebration of a classic revival

Besides being National Heritage Year, 1984 marks the 200th auniversary of the opening of Buxton's great nee-classical Crescent. The main theme of the Buxton Festival, which opens today, is the rediscovery of ancient Greek architecture and design in the latter half of the eighteenth century, which had such an effect on European

There will be plenty of apt music, most notably this com-try's first professional staging of the original French version of Cherubini's Medea, with Rosalind Plowright as the tempestuous main character and Anthony Hose conducting the Manchester Camerata and Buxton Festival Chorus. The first performance is at the Opera House tonight. Another opera to receive its professional British premiere is Cavalli's Jason: Norman Kay's Robin Hood, written some 300 years after Cavalli, will receive its world memière.

Cherubini turns up tomorrow along with Mozart, Schubert and Mendelssohn, in a lecture-recital extended over the moraing and afternoon by the Lindsay Quartet at the Palace Hotel. This is called "Revol-ution and Romanticism in the String Quartet," and Cherubi-in's influence on Beethoven will feature strongly in the afternoon Tomorrow evening there is a concert at the Opera House by

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Today, 7.30pm, Royal Albert Hall, Kensington Gore, London SW7 (589 8212, credit cards, 589 9465)

Sir Charles Groves and the BBC Symphony Orchestra begin and end with Dvořák, his Arnid Nature

and three Slavonic Dances. In

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between come Janáček's Taras Bulba, and Alfred Brendel playing Beethoven's Piano Concerto No 3.

Temorrow, 7.30pm, Bloomsbury Theatre, Gordon Street, London

premieres of George Nicholson's The Arrival of the Poet in the City and Edward Cowle's Kate Kelly's

Tomorrow, 7.30pm, Westminster

werdi's Vespers of the Blessed Virgin of 1610 are performed by the Monteverdi Chok

and English Baroque Soloists

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Grecian 200: The sweeping grandeur of The Crescent, Buxton concert ends with the latter's

the Royal Liverpool Philhar-monic beginning, oddly enough, with Cherubin's Anacreon Overture. Genther Herbig will also conduct Beethoven's "Rroica" Symphony and Anne Quéf-felec will solo in his Piano Concerto No 2.

Another programme which kicks off with Cherubini is that by the Manchester Camerata under Hose, who begin with his D major Symphony at the Palace Hotel on August 12. Inthis Caroline Green sings arias by Gluck and Mozart. The

under John Eliot Gardner. There are no promenade places for this

PALO ALTO PLAYERS morrow, 7.30pm, St John's, ith Square, London SW1 (222 The Palo Alto Chamber Orchestra

from California offer their Interpretations of Dvořák's Serenade for Strings, Haydn's C major Cello Concerto (soloist, Felix Schmidt) and Vivaldi's Inimitable Concerto Grosso Op 3 No 11. liam Whitson conducts.

HENZE'S CONCERTI Tues, 7.30pm, Royal Albert Hall The English Chamber Orchestra under Sir Alexander Gibeon give the British premiere of Henze's Stravinsky's Monumentum pro Gesualdo di Venosa ad CD annum is also heard, and Yazuko Horigome and Nobuko limit solo in Mozert's Sinfonia Concertante K 364 for Violin, Viola and Orchestra. **PAGANINI DUO** Tues, 7.30pm, British Music

"Jupiter" Symphony.

A further preformance by this versatile Manchester en is at the Opera House on August 4. The festival also offers a considerable variety of exhibitions and lectures, includ ing one by Beail Deane at St

Ann's Hotel on August 11, on

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Information Centre, 10 Stratford Place, Londom W1 (499 8557)
The Paganini Duo perform such violin and guitar pieces as Lawson's Song of the Standar-Lipped Helliborine and Kvam's Duo Ostinato.

BIRTWISTLE, BARTOK Wed, 7.30pm, Royal Albert Hall The toughest listaning at the Proms this week is provided by Birtwistle's Nomos and Three Movements and Fantares, Bartók's Sonate for Two Planes and Percussion, Berlo's Sinfonia, Eigar Howarth conducts the BBC Symphony Orchestra.

MIXED BAG
Fri, 7.30pm, Royal Albert Half
Bizet's youthful Symphony in C
major, Saint-Saëne's gigantic
Symphony in C minor, Berkeley's Poems of St Teresa and Mozart's Two-Pieno Concerto K 385 (soloists, Imogen Cooper and Anna Queffslac) comprise this rather mbred-up Prom. Jacek Kasprzyk Symphony Orchestra.

launches a new company with Covent Garden (240 1056). Until Aug 11, Mon-Sat at 7.30pm, matinées Sat at 2.30pm. three other dancers and a programme comprising his provocative New Puritans and a

Action men: (from left) Ben Kingsley and Ian McKellan, Sebastian Coe and a view of V (see Programme choice)

matinees Sat at 2.30pm. A premiere, soloist Ashley Page's new work. Move quickly if you want First choreography for Covent
Garden, is given Thurs and Fri. The
music is adapted by Michael
Nyman from his score for the film
The Draughtsman's Contract and **FESTIVAL BALLET** Dominion, Tottenham Court Road (580 9562). Until Aug 4, Mon-Set at 7.30pm, matinées Sat at 3pm The programme is Giselle tonight, Mon and Tues, then André the cast is young. With it are given Bintley's splendid Consort Lessins starring Lesley Collier and Alessandra Ferri, and Ashton's Prokovsky's dramatic The Storm is given with Les Sylphides and Scheherazade on Wed-Aug 4. Month in the Country. Other programmes this week are Romeo and Juliet today, Michael Corder's new Party Game with My Brother, My Sisters and Raymonda Act 3 on **ROYAL BALLET SCHOOL** 

Sedler's Wells (278 8915), Today at 2.30pm and 7.30pm
Two works created for the students, Ashley Page's Wanting, Running, Running and Richard Glasstone's Children's Dances, are included in this afternoon's programme. Tonight's performance includes Ashton's Pas de Légumes and the classic Aurora's Wedding.



Jenniser Penney and Leslie Collier in My Brother, My Sisters

# OPERA

GLYNDEBOURNE FESTIVAL OPERA Glyndebourne, Lewes, East Sussex (0273 812411). Tonight, Tues and Fri at 5.35pm, Wed at 5.50pm

As the Festival moves into its last month, John Cox's new production of Arabella, with its meticulously researched Viennese sets, is still going strong, with Ashley Putnam radiant in the title role, and a worthy Mandryka in John Bröcheler from the Netherlands. Bernard Haltink conducts tonight and on Tuesday, before Stephen Barlow takes over on Fri (then August 6, 9, 11). The other choice, telephone returns only, available at 10 each morning. is Britten's A Midsummer Night's Oream, which opens on Wed in Peter Hall's production, now revived by Michael McCaffery. Elizabeth Gale is Tytania, Jame: Bowman Oberon, with Cynthia Buchan and Jill Gomez as Hermia and Helena, and with Jean Rigby making her Glyndebourne debut.

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Today, Crystal Palace Bowl, London SE22 (833 1707) Jamaica's Jimmy Cliff tops the bill of this Arican National Congress benefit, followed by Ladbroke Grove's Aswad, Gil Scott-Heron of the United States and Hugh Masekela of South Africa. Some kind of summit meeting, particularly in view of the glowing reports given of recent appearances by Masekela, one of the early prophets of African pop. Noon-8pm, £5.

BRONSKI BEAT Tonight, St James's Church, Piccadilly, London W1 (inquiries: 734 0958) An odd choice indeed to close the Piccadilly Festival, which this year

incorporates the church's tercentanary, Bronski Beat are propagandists in the mould of the early Tom Robinson Band. JOE TEMPERLEY Tonight, Pizza Express, 10 Dean Street, London W1 (439 5722)
Once a stalwart of the Humphrey Lyttalton Band, Temperley took himself and his baritone saxophone to the United States several programs for a suppose full several years ago for a successful sojourn which included a lengthy stint with Woody Herman's orchestra. Tonight his quartet welcomes as a guest another Lyttelton alumnus, the excellent trombonist Roy Williams.

SOFT MACHINE Mon to Sat, Ronnie Scott's Club, 47 Frith Street, London W1 (439 0747) The original Soft Machine - Mike

Ratedge, Hugh Hopper and Robert
Wyatt, plus at various times Daevid
Alien, Kevin Ayers and Elton Dean
— was the first rock group to perform at the Proms and the first to play a season at Scott's. Karl Jenkins and John Marshall. respectively keyboards/woodwind and drums, came along rather and drums, came along rather later, when the originals were peeling away, and took the group towards its demise. Now they are performing an exhumation, adding Dave McCrae the keyboard player, the guitarist John Etheridge and the outstanding sexophonist Ray



Warleigh. Do not venture out in the hope of hearing such classics of the Softs' early repertoire as "The Moon in June", but expect some worthy jazz-rock.

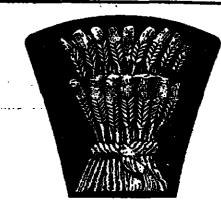
Mon, Royal Festival Hall, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3191) An excellent young singer, with a band competent in some of the subtler arts which the critic and

chronicler Chris Welch used to call contemporary rhythm music, she may nevertheless find the Fastival Hall's antiseptic atmosphere and dodgy respose to amplified instruments rather more than she can manage at this early stage of her career. Hammersmith Palais would have been a rung or three lower in class but a lot more like

**BLOOMSBURY FESTIVAL** Wed, Bloomsbury Theatre, Gordon Street, London WC1 (387

Two stalwarts of the early English folk-rock scene are paired: Ashley Hutchings, a founder member of Fairport Convention, leads his Albion Band, while Bob Pegg, whose group called Mr Fox made several intriguing records in the early Seventies, brings in a new theatre-and-music troups called Beastles. On Thurs, Mike and Kate Westbrook and Chris Biscoe perform A Little Westbrook Music a pocket-sized digest of the music performed by Westbrook's orchestra and brassband. On Fri. John Harle's much acclaimed new Berliner Band plays the music of Eisler, Satie and Nyman.

Dance: John Percival; Opera: Hilary Finch; Rock & Jazz:



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OLYMPICS: Saturday night sees the start of the Los Angeles Olympics. An 800-strong band, 1,000-voice choir, and 2,000 dancers combine in the pageant, with the march past of competitors Then comes the official opening by President Reagan, the Olympic hymn is sung, and the Olympic Torch is borne into the stadium at the end of its journey from Greece. The games cover 21 different sports, and 128 nations will battle for more than 1,000 medals over 15 days. Principal events include: Sunday: Cycling and swimming finals, boxing, and dressage section of three-day eventing. Monday: Swimming finals, cycling, rowing, boxing, and Britain's first match in the hockey tournament. Tuesday: Swimming finals, cycling. shooting, gymnastics, rowing. Cycling takes in the first round of the sprint, and boxing sees the start of the 12-strong British team's bid to win their first gold medal since Chris Finnegan's triumph in Mexico in 1968.

Wednesday: Cycling, rowing, modern pentathion, women's gymnastics, and the start of the three-day event cross country. Thursday: Gymnastics, weightlifting, swimming, cycling, shooting, rowing, plus early stages of the ladies' volleyball. Friday: Heats of the first track competition of the games, including men's 100m. Also men's 20km walk, women's shot, and women's competition of the three eventing from Santa Anita Park will feature Lucinda Green leading Britain's quest for medals. Full live coverage of events on BBC1 on a five-programme-perday pattern. Olympic Breakfast Time, lunchtime Olympic Report, and Olympic Grandstands in the morning, early evening, and late evening round-up.

RACING: Five days of top class racing begin at Goodwood on Tues. The outstanding horse of the meeting is Chief Singer, second to El Gran Señor in the Guineas, white of the St James's Palace Stakes at Royal Ascot and the July Cup at Newmarket Live coverage BBC2 of opening races (from 2pm Tues) throughout week. On Fri the Extel Stakes is the season's richest handicap race of its kind. Racing at Ascot today features the King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond Stakes, with an excellent line-up of horses .

NATWEST TROPHY: Cricket's 60 overs knockout competition reaches the quarter final stage on Wednesday and there are intriguing battles in prospect. Somerset, the holders, take on Kent at Taunton and Middlesex play Lancashire, victors in the Benson and Hedges, at Lord's. The other games are Warwickshire v Surrey at Edgbaston and Northants v Leicestershire at Northampton. The matches start at 10.30am and one of them is being covered on BBC 2.

Radio

FRANCES HOROVITZ: Excerpts Coiston Hall of the life of Frances Horovitz, the poet and teacher who died of cancer last October, aged 45. Includes recordings of Ted Hughes and P. J. Kavanagh reading their own works. Radio 3, today, 9.40-10.10pm. MALCOLM LOWRY: Another tribute, this time celebrating the seventy-fifth at niversary of writer Malcolm Lowry's birth under the title The Lighthouse Invites the

Storm, Graham Bowker considers

Bennett, who plays Lowry, and Norman Rodway who reads from the work.

Lowry's masterpiece Under the Volcano with the help of Hywel

Radio 4, today, 10.15-11pm.

WILLOUGHBY'S PHONEY WAR: Repeat of 1978 comedy starring Jeremy Irons before he was overtaken by languorous roles. Here he plays Charles Willoughby, an out-of-work actor and buffoon who joins up in 1939 to find himself in a series of ludicrous situations; his only battles are of wit and humour. Co-starring Anna Massey and Madeleine Smith. Radio 4, tomorrow, 2.30-4pm. Final part on Aug 4.

THE PARASITES: Start of a new Book at Bedtime: one of Daphne du Maurier's less well-known novels to be read in 12 parts by Penelope Lee. In truly sinister form, du Maurier's people are the parasites: the Delaney family who prey on the good fortune of one of r number who marries into an aristocratic family. Radio 4, Mon, 10.15-10.30pm.

RAMEAU'S NEPHEW: Eighteenthcentury dialogue by Denis Diderot involving a clash of views between Diderot (Patrick Allen) who takes the mature moralistic line, and his nephew (Peter Woodthorpe) who postulates the irresponsible attitudes of the young. Radio 3, Tues, 9.30-10.15pm. THE HISTORY OF ROCK: Taking

the view that "It's about time

someone took a swipe at the rock

world", writer Roger Planer does just that in the first of a three-part history of rock, enlivened by re-enactments of historical moments, from the birth of the blues to the Radio 2, Thurs, 10-10.30pm. **DELVE SPECIAL: Spoof** documentary on an apocryphal investigation into the "Shifton Airport Scandal". Corruption both business and sexual is discovered by the intrepid reporters to be behind the plot to build London's Affresco star Stephen Fry, Andrew Sachs and Brenda Blethyn. Radio 4, Fri, 11.30-12pm.



Women this week: Frances Horovitz remembered (top left); Daphne du Maurier on parasites; South African tennis players grace a 1920s postcard

To complete Chichester's most distinguished season for some years, The Way of the World

will be directed by William

Gaskill with a cast including Maggie Smith and Michael

Jayston (as Millamant and

Mirabell), Joan Plowright, Sara

Kestelman, Ian Hogg, John Moffatt, James Villiers, and

Gaskill has never touched this play before, though his vivid and unaffected style in

Restoration comedy (such as

The Recruiting Officer and The

Beaux' Stratagem at the National, both with Maggie Smith) is a mainstay of his

reputation. He can seldom have

had such a cast before, either.

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servants, sound the same. He is

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£150 CIGARETTE CARD: Four of the rarest in a Phillips sale of cigarette and postcards have an estimate of £150 apiece. They are part of 20 sets of "Clown" cards produced by Taddy's tobacco company at the turn of the century. Other rare postcards to be auctioned include steam forries of the 1920s (£10 each on average). um 1924 (£10 each chaverage), zeppelins and trams. Phillips, Blenheim Street, London W1 (629 6602). Viewing Tues 9am-4.30pm, Wed 9-11am. Sale Wed st

FRILLY FASHIONS: Three centuries of lace, lace-making equipment and textiles are to be auctioned at Phillips. A lacemaker pillow, or working pad, with decorative turned wood and bone bobbins is estimated at £300. Phillips, Blenheim Street, London W1 (629 6602), Viewing Tues and Wed 9am-4.30pm. Sale Thurs at

Other events

SWALE HERITAGE FESTIVAL '84: Opportunities to enter some of the area's finest historic houses and and a medieval fayre are among the highlights of Swale's first heritage festival. Town walks have heritage restrict. Town walks have been organized around Faversham, Milton Regis, Queenborough and Sittingbourne, and a tive-mile Sittingbourne Heritage Countryside Walk will be opened. Other events include a fets at Rushenden, with tancy dress and two fivers Shearness cambial and tug of war; Shearness carniv procession; and Queenborough

Charity Marathon Run followed by Beating Retreat and Torchlight

Procession. Today until Aug 12. Information from Tourist

Information Centres in Kent, or telephone Sittingbourne (0795)

STITCHES IN TIME: Embroidery exhibition and workshops exhibition and workshops demonstrations to mark the golden inhibite of the Yorkshire Branch of the Embroiderers' Guild. Exhibition includes work by guild members, and historic items from the guild's own collection at Hampton Court. There are over 60 items, some dation from the party seventeenth. dating from the early seventeenth carry, showing examples of embroidered costume, samplers and decorative work. Today, until Sept 9, at Cittle Castle, Bradford. Free entry to demonstrations. Tickets £1 for three-day workshop (materials provided), information from Assistant Keeper of Education, Bradford (0274 64184).

MUSICA DEO SACRA WEEK: A realebration of flurgical music at Tawkesbury Abbey, by a group of semi-professional singers from cathedral, collegiate and recital choirs throughout England. The festival has been held for 16 years, and enables the more complex. and enables the more complex settings of the Mass and Graduella within their proper environment as part of the church liturgy. This years' programme includes works by Byrd, Monteverdi, Haydn, Mozart, Wesley and Vaughan Williams. Mon until Aug 5. For information contact Norma Information contact Norma Hawkridge, telephone Cheltenham (0242) 39904.

HARROGATE FESTIVAL: The nineteenth festival will reflect the anniversaries of the deaths of Elgar, Bliss, Hoist and Delius, and the birthdays of Maxwell Davies, The Districtives of Maximum Davies, Birtwhistle and Panumik. International celebrity concerts will feature some of the finest chamber ensembles, solcists and recitalists, together with drama, dance and literary events. Exhibitions and lactives on the theme of National lectures on the theme of National Heritage Year. Wed until Aug 15. Information from William Dodds, Festival Office, Royal Baths, Harrogate, North Yorkshire (0423 62303).

# **Emotional torments** for trapped people

like persuading people to catch leprosy. Yet Mike Leigh's extraordinary British film of 1971, revived throughout August at the ICA, deserves attention; and the title, though unfortunate, is appropriate. The characters are trapped

by social inhibitions and the daily drabness of suburban London. For the heroine Sylvia, life means sitting behind a desk in a chartered accountant's tending a mentally retarded sister, and talking awkwardly to a schoolteacher boyfriend who seems even more inhibited than herself. Consolation means a bottle of medium dry sherry (price 59p).

In the years since 1971, we have seen the price of cheap sherry rise; Mike Leigh's career has also progressed, though in media other than the cinema. For television, he devised various filmed plays, including throughout Angust, among them Nuts in May (1976). The Kiss of Lindsay Anderson's If..., Finneath (1977) and Grown-Ups own Charlie Bubbles and Company of Co (1980). His stage productions, preserve of the wilder groomed Hampstead Theatre Memorial encouraged quickly Club, and Goose Pimples (1981) turned to television or commerreached the West End.

But Bleak Moments is no industry to its own bleak early apprentice work. With moments. some six years of theatre activity behind him, Leigh had already evolved his distinctive working method. There was no pre-ordained script: characters and dialogue were devised instead through group improvis-

them, Anne Raitt and Eric Allan Yet despite the collective endeavour, a unique personal style persists. Leigh pins down his characters with verbal and physical tics - nervous gasps of breath, grimaces, the fingering of a nose - and frequently channels emotional whirlpools into the social rituals of eating and drinking: note the hilariously depressing Chinese meal, or the hippie Norman incoherently munching on a biscuit. Throughout, there is

much humour, and much com-

in production terms, however, Bleak Moments is distinctly a period piece. Finance came from Albert Finney and Michael Medwin's company Memorial Enterprises - at the time in the forefront of whatever progressive British cinema existed. Various other Memorial films can be seen at the ICA Stephen Frears Gumshoe, and Tony Scott's Loving Memory. I type of fringe theatre, began to is an interesting but melancholy secure a foothold at the well- list, for the new talents that cials, and left Britain's film

Geoff Brown

Bleak Moments (PG) and other films made by Memorial Enterprises play at the ICA Cinematheque, The Mall, London SW1 (930 3647) from Wed to Sept 2 ations with the actors (among (except Mon and Tues).



Channel 4 take advantage of a lean summer and attempt new life as a cinema double-bill. Glory Days, written by Julie Welch, spins a stender story about female soccer fans; director, Philip Saville. P'Tang, shown during Channel 4's

From Fri at the Classic Haymarket (839 1527), Classic Tottenham Court Road (636 6148).

Openings

originality".

through words, through writing even Gielgud was never happy of extraordinary accuracy and about his performance. Where Gaskill also points out that, has he come from? What are his first act, and you e

William Gaskill: a vivid and

maffected style.

references to familiar London

localities, there are very few

ters having a separate life in it.

that their intrigue is motivated by lack of funds, and that may be true of Mirabell but he never says so.
"Socially these characters are not defined; they have very little given background and

Congreve's world is an actor's joy

seem to exist only for the play." There is also - and Gaskill must be sick of people saying it - the notoriously complicated plot. He has resisted the temptation to reorder scenes in the interests of clarity, though he quite sees why Giles Havergal's recent Greenwich production did so.

"You really don't learn much unlike so many plays of the in Congreve's first act. But it period with their frequent does give that strong image of the two protagonists, one of whom will finally defeat the other, facing each other at the links with the outside world and beginning over the card table; you don't know which is the one cannot imagine the charac-Hence the curiously trapped hero and which is the villain."

atmosphere as they manoeuvre Indeed, in modern eyes for financial and sexual pros-(though not apparently in Congreve's) Mirabell's conduct makes it difficult for us to give him unqualified approval. "But "Mirabell is very enigmatic; you must just get through that

aims? You know with the two may be perplexing, but it is men in The Beaux' Stratagem never boring."

The first production at Lincoln's Inn Fields in 1700 was an indifferent success, and Congreve abandoned writing at the age of 30 to live the second half of his life as a country gentleman. Gaskill sees nothing strange either in the impulse to throw over the whole messy and unsatisfactory business of theatre, or in doing so at 30, by which time if you had not written any good plays you probably never would.

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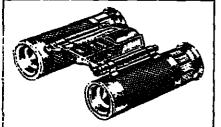
But, even if Congreve did not regret his decision, surely his actors did. His companion Anne Bracegirdle, whose beauty and chastity caused equal astonishment at the time, had had the last of the great leading roles he wrote for her. This week, at Chichester, Maggie Smith will inherit what Gaskill terms "as sophisticated a part as has ever been written".

Anthony Masters

The Way of the World plays in repertory at the Chichester Festival Theatre from Mon, with Wed as

# **BINOCULARS**

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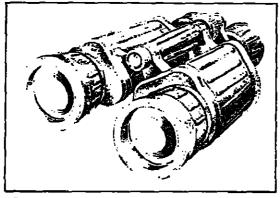
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Openings LONELY HEARTS: (15) A compact,

touching Australian comedy from the quirky Paul Cox, later responsible for the beautiful Man of Flowers. Norman Kaye stars as the middle-aged bachelor attempting love with a shrinking violet From Thurs at the Academy One (437 2981). THOSE GLORY GLORY DAYS (PG)

and P'TANG YANG KIPPERBANG (PG): Two television films aired on

second night in November 1982, offers a rosy childhood romp; directed by Michael Apted, written by Jack Rosenthal.

### Selected

THE KING AND MR BIRD (U) ICA Cinema (930 3647) Paul Grimault and Jacques Prevert's delightful animated fable about freedom and repression, with a fetching cast of birds, beasts and tyrannical kings, plus a giant mechanical robot. Aspects have dated since the film's conception in 1946, but there are constant visual

SUNDAY IN THE COUNTRY (PG) Chelsea Cinema (351 3742) An elderly academic painter's family come to visit one Sunday in the summer of 1912: cue for a meticulously beautiful film by Bertrand Tavernier (winner of the best director prize at Cannes). Death and disappointment pervade the scenes, giving a sharp edge to the pastoral prettiness.

AND THE SHIP SAILS ON (15) Academy One, Oxford Street (437 2981). Until Wed All aboard the SS Federico Fellini for a symbolic ocean trip in the summer of 1914, with an assorted company of opera singers, politicians, Serbian peasant anarchists, and one smelly rhinoceros. Partly brilliant, partly lame and strained. Freddle Jones heads a populous, British-flavoured cast.

OVER THE EDGE (18) Screen on the Green, Islington Cult American youth movie made in 1979 by Jonathan Kaplan, subsequent director of Heart Like a Wheel. This is a rowdy tale of rebel teeragers in a suburban community, with a cast including Matt Dillon and Vincent Spano and

a cleverly integrated sound track **SWANN IN LOVE (18)** Lumlere (836 0691)
Schlöndorff's film merely dips into
Proust's novel sequence, but therein lies its success. Swann's infatuation with the beautiful but dublous Odette is conveyed with clarity, calm, exquisits photography, and there is an expert central performance from leremy Irons.

The information in this column was correct at the time of going to press. Late changes are chen made and it is advisable to check, using the telephone numbers given.

Sport and Auctions: Anne Whitehouse; Radio: Sarah Jane Checkland

## ABEL'S SISTER: A disabled woman visits her brother and his wife; a wounded US servicemen is also there. Les Waters directs this play by Yolance Bourcier and Timberlake Wertenbaker. Royal Court Theatre Upstairs, Sloane Square, London SW1 (730) 2554). Previews Thurs, Fri, Aug 4 and 6 at 7.30 pm, opens Aug 7 at 7.30 pm, then Mon-Sat at 7.30 pm BASHVILLE: David William and Benny Green adaptation of George Bernard Shaw's The Admirable Bashville, with music by Denis King, lyrics by Benny Green. A new

opening and three new songs have been added to the production seen been added to the production seen at the Park last year and well received. David William directs Peter Woodward, Felicity Jane Goodson, Christopher Hancock. Open Air Theatre, Regent's Park, London NW1 (486 2431). Preview Mon at 8 pm, opens Tues at 8 pm, then Wed-Aug 4 at 8 pm; mailnées Thurs and Aug 4 at 2.30 pm. In repertory COPING: David Evans's new play, with Peter Straker in a leading role, directed by Robert Longdon, is a comedy which centres on a divorced couple who find that changing partners adds to rather changing partiers acces to rause than solves their problems. New End Theatre, 27 New End, London NW3 (435 6053). Opens Wed at 8 pm, until Aug 12, Tues-

FORTY YEARS ON: Chichester Festival Theatre production of Alan Bennett's comedy, set in a rundown public school. Paul rundown public school, Paul Eddington, Doris Hare, Stephen Fry, Phyllida Law, David Horovitch and 20 schoolchildren, directed by Patrick Garland, with Matthew Francis. The original 1968 production established Bennett, and Garland, and was acclaimed as among the most important plays of Queen's Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue, London W1 (734 1165). Previews from Tues, Mon-Fri at 7.30pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.15pm.

Selected

Opens Aug 13 at 7pm, then as

**GLENGARRY GLEN ROSS** Cottesion, (928 2252). Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory David Mamet's menacing account of the shark-eat-sprat world of US real-estate salesmen has a resonance that spreads wide; a cast including Jack Shepherd in top form do it justice. GOLDEN BOY

Lyttelton, (928 2252). Tues-Thurs at 7.45pm; matinės Thurs at 3pm. In repeatory Clifford Odets's parable of a young boxer-musician in the New York of the Depression, sacrificing art to fist and fortune, is nalve as well as dramatic but Bill Bryden's powerful period production, and Hayden Griffin's magnificent sets, make the

most of it.

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Tap of the town: Michael Howe in 42nd Street, now previewing at Theatre Royal, Drury Lane. Opens Aug 8 (836 8108)

Barbican (628 8795/638 8891). Today and Mon-Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory Adrian Noble's distinguished and spectacular production sets Shakespeare's great problem

MEASURE FOR MEASURE

comedy in the snister world of an eighteenth-century absolute monarchy. With Daniel Massey. David Schofield, Juliet Stevenson and Richard O'Callaghan. PACK OF LIES Lyric (437 3686). Mon-Fri at 7.30pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.15pm; matinées Wed at 3pm

es Wed at 3pm Hugh Whitemore's powerful study of a decent couple whose quiet suburban life is destroyed by a Kroger-style spy case, Mary Miller has replaced Judi Dench. Michael Williams remains. There are more cast changes at the beginning of

**PASSION PLAY** Wyndham's (836 3028). Mon-Fri at 8pm, Sat at 5pm and 8.30pm; matiness Wed at 3pm Surely the best comedy in London. Witty, sad and dazzlingly intricate, Witty, san and dazzingly indicate, Peter Nichols's award-winning 1981 play about unwilling adultery now stars Leslie Phillips and Judy Parfitt, with Barry Foster and Zena Walker offering advice and reproach as their identically

POPPJE NONGENA Donmar Warehouse (836 1071). Until Aug 25, Mon-Sat at 8pm This acclaimed show from black South Africa is a story of a

harassed, endlessly wandering family that is both tragic and uplifting, PROGRESS Bush Theatre, Shepherds Bush Green, London W12 (743 3388). Until Aug 18, Tues-Sun at 8pm Doug Lucie's satirical portrait of

relationships going awry in a liberated West Hampstead household is savagely accurate. THE THIRD AND FINAL ROUND Half Moon Theatre, 213 Mile End Road, London E1 (790 4000). Mon-Sat at 8pm

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Now transformed into a boxing
club with ring and bar (usable in the
intervall), the Half Moon scores a big hit with this fast, chilling and immensely enjoyable slice of East End life: blackmall among the big sharks and loveless marriages.

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The Pit (628 8795/638 8891).
Today and Mon-Pri at 7,30pm;
matines Thurs at 2pm, in repertory
Beautifully deadly, measured
revival of Jonson's statire on greed and guilibility, with Richard Griffing and Miles Anderson outsmarting an outrageously furny Germa Jones and a line gallery of

Out of Town CAMBRIDGE: Arts Theatre, St Edwards Passage (0223 352000). Anything Goes by Cole Porter, P. G. Wodehouse and Guy Bolton. Opens Fri at 8pm, until Aug 11,

Mon-Sat at 8pm; matinées Sat at New touring company, Cambridge Independent Theatre present the spectacular 1934 musical. The production moves to the Bioomsbury Theatre, London from Aug 13, and King's Theatre, Southsea, from Aug 27.

CHICHESTER: The Merchant of Venice. Today at 2.30pm, 7.30pm. Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory Patrick Garland directs Alec Guinness, Joanna McCallum, Jane

The Way of the World by William Congreve.
Previews Mon and Tues at 7.30pm.
Opens Wed at 7pm; Thurs at 2.30pm and 7.30pm. In repertory.

LIVERPOOL: Playhouse, Williamson Square, Liverpool (051 709 8363). Cavern of Dreams by Carol Ann Duffy, Bill Morrison and Spencer Leigh: Opens Fri at 7.30pm. Until Sept 22, Mon-Fri at 7.30pm, Sat at Spm; matinées Sat at 40m at 4pm
A celebration of the "Merseybeat

era" and the story of a rock group who could have been one of the hundreds of local bands who lived and played at the Cavern Club in the 50s and 60s, Andrew Schofield, Ian Hart, John Wild, Michael Starke, Paul Codman and Jeanette

STRATFORD: Royal Shakespeare Theatre (9789 295623), The Merchant of Yenice. Today, Thurs and Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory New production, directed by John Caird, with lan McDiarmid as Bassanio, Frances Tomelty as Portia. Henry V. Mon at 7.30pm. In

repertory
Kenneth Branagh, with Bernard
Horsfall, Brian Blessed, Sebastian
Shaw, in a new production directed. by Adrian Noble. Richard III. Today and Thurs at 1.30pm, Tues and Wed at 7.30pm.

In repertory Anthony Sher in the title role, with Patricia Routledge, Brian Blessed, Christopher Ravenscroft, in a new production.
The Other Place (0789 295523).
Camille by Pam Gems. Today at 7.30pm, Thurs and Fri at 7.30pm. In repertory
Ron Daniels directs this new extention of 1.2 Dane 21.5

adaptation of La Dame au v Camélias. Frances Barber, Alphonsia Emmanuel, Nicholas

Farrell,
Golden Girls by Louise Page, Tues
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black and two whits, Barry Kyle Romeo and Juliet. Mon at 7.30pm. In repertory
John Caird directs Amenda Root.

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# FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

**Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet** 

# Brittle smile on the face of sterling

It seems to take precious little to knock too are underwritten by the American the pound nowadays. Even as the United taxpayer? The answer could make a States posted an even bigger trade deficit for June, while Britain's modest trade deficit for than month declined, despite the coal strike, sterling dropped more than two cents against the dollar yesterday. It closed at \$1.3105 in London, having fallen

still lower during the day.

The "elastic" between British and American interest rates is now not at all stretched, after the 2% per cent rise in British rates and the comforting hope to be drawn from Mr Paul Volcker's remarks that American rates are less likely to rise. If this straightforward explanation of sterling weakness is no longer satisfactory, what is the cause? Yesterday's disturbing answer was the inflated rumour of "the collapse of Opec". As the markets saw reason the pound recovered; but seemed to find it a long climb back.

The weakness in the oil markets translated it into a lower inflation prospect for the United States. Gold, too, fell back, sown \$6.87 in London at \$336,80. But Britain's petrocurrency suffered more than others, dropping against the Europeans, so that its trade-weighted "effective" index fell 0.6 points to 78.4.

From one point of view this is good news: so far as the Treasury is concerned, it means that any loss in North Sea oil revenues from a fall in the price is likely to be made up by a fall sterling against the currency in which oil is priced. But the fragility of the pound revealed by this July squall of misunderstanding is more than a little disturbing.

### Uncle Sam goes bail for Continental

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Continental Illinois' extended shareholders were left in little doubt a couple of days ago about the fate which faced them. Either they accepted the deal offered by the federal authorities in America's biggest bank bailout or else they lost their capital. In the circumstances there can be little doubt that the rescue plan will be

However, the questions raised reach well beyond the admittedly considerable and complex difficulties of Continental Illinois. The question now in banking circles is where does the rescue place all the other American banks between the relatively modest Penn Square, which went under, and the Chicago bank which was regarded as too big to fail.

The authorities have been careful to leave an element of market interest in the shape of the deposits from more than 40. commercial banks. While it is true that secured against such assets and profits as Continental Himois is fortunate enough still to possess, its commercial bank creditors are left to fend for themselves.

In the longer term, the federal agencies who lent their names to the rescue have. also signalled their hope that in a few years. they will have discharged their commitments. To that extent the "nationaliza-, tion" of Continental Illinois is supposed to be temporary. Even if that does prove to be so, the American taxpayer may well find that the stake involuntarily acquired in Continental Illinois is not the most. profitable investment conceivable.

But will the authorities ever extricate themselves from the imbroglio? Everything depends on depositors being willing to entrust their money to Continental Illinois once again. The international banks may well take the line - to all intents and purposes the position of the American authorities - that supporting the Chicago bank is the least of the evils. And if Uncle Sam underwrites the returns, why not?

In a sense, however, the fact that Continental Illinois will probably live to fight another day poses more problems than it solves. If the authorities are prepared to bail out one of the top 10 biggest banks in the United States, how many of the others can assume that they

**NEWS IN BRIEF** 

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British Electric Traction's

taxpayer? The answer could make a profound difference to the resolution of the international debt crisis.

#### West Germany bolsters bond market

West Germany's proposal to abolish its withholding tax on bonds, following hard on the heels of the American decision, is another big step towards the creation of an unfettered international market in fixedinterest securities. As such, it should give a welcome encouragement to a bond market battered by persistently high interest rates.

The motives of the German authorities are not, of course, entirely altruistic. It is worth remembering that 20 years ago the Bundesbank tried to stem the inflow of foreign capital which it believed would be inflationary. The boot is now on the other foot. Although the Deutschemark has held up fairly well against the dollar, and Germany has been one of the prime beneficiaries of the American export boom, the federal government is nervous about its ability to dispose of official

When the World Bank can command a discount in Deutschemarks of 20 or 30 points compared with the German federal government, something is clearly amiss. This fact was fully recognizable last week when the market, having caught wind of possible relaxations, drove the yield on Deutschemark paper not subject to the withholding tax below the paper which was subject to the tax.

The equalization will be appreciated particularly by the influential Swiss investors, who tend to take small positions in the market. But it should be remembered that last year Deutschemark issues accounted for about 13 per cent, the second biggest percentage, of the \$4 trillion international bond market.

The ramifications, therefore, are extensive. If (as is expected) the new provisions will effectively be back-dated, there could be a minor influx into official Deutsche-

# Predators lurk

The international telephone wires have been humming since Thursday with potential investors from all over the world ringing their London broking friends to inquire how to get on the Jaguar bandwagon.

Next weeks' offer for sale looks like arousing all manner of cosmopolitan interest, as befits a company whose name still stands for something positive outside Britain.

There has been some confusion as to how far overseas investors will be allowed to buy and deal in Jaguar's shares once it has been floated, so it is worth spelling out the obstacles. There is no effective bar, other than exchange controls and so on, on overseas investors applying for or dealing in the shares - except, that is, for Americans who have to cope with the strictures of the Securities and Exchange Commission regarding new issues. There has been no prospectus filed with the SEC, which prevents Americans applying for

The hope of foreign buyers coming in is a key attraction of the Jaguar issue. There is considerable speculation that one of the world's big motor manufacturing outfits such as Ford, General Motors or one of the Japanese companies, will emerge at some stage after the flotation with the maximum permitted 15 per cent holding

GM made a rather clumsy attempt to buy Jaguar outright while the Government was pondering how to go about privatizing it. Although the Government is keeping its golden share until the end of 1990 to block any takeover and the 15 per cent ceiling on shareholdings will last until the same date, any predator probably has little to lose - and something to gain defensively by moving in before then.

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# Rebellion thwarted at Chloride

An attempt by rebel share. But he was backed by only 13 holders of Chloride Group to out of a total of about 100 elect Dr Maurice Cillibrand to shareholders, while proxy votes the battery group's board was defeated at the annual meeting been opposed by 76 million to in London yesterday.

Dr Gillibrand, a former head of research at Chloride has ide's chairman, told the meeting of the state of the control of t

# Britain acts to calm market by holding to BNOC price

Britzin and Nigeria have both moved to bring stability to the world oil market where a bout of rumours in the last 24 hours has led to a fall in both sterling and the world gold price. Britain has again said that it

is close to an agreement on North Sea oil prices for the third quarter leaving the Brent marker price unchanged at \$30. Nigeria has categorically denied remours that it is about to leave Opec to enable it to increase output above its new Opec quota of 1.4 million barrels, which comes into effect on Wednesday.

The British National Oil Corporation said yesterday that it had reached "virtually unanimous' agreement with its suppliers and customers that e North Sea price structure will be unchanged, despite between BNOC, prices on the Rotterdam spot and its customers market for Brent crude being almost \$3 a barrel lower than the official price.

However, dealers in Europe

**SE Council** 

suspends

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Mitchell

By Philip Robinson and Alison Eadie

The Stock Exchange Council

last night ordered the total suspension from trading of the

four-partner stockbroking firm

Kemp, Mitchell & Company pending an investigation into

the conduct of the business of

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nsion in a terse statement

just after 5 pm. Mr Robin Stormonth-Darling, chairman of the exchange's quotations committee said: "I can make

absolutely no comment. I would

Mr Jonathan Steel junior, a

partner with the firm, said last night: "I am shocked and

surprised by what has hap-pened I don't know what it is

all about. But the last thing we

want is to be secretive about whatever has happened."

Kemp Mitchell's partners are

Mr Terence Mitchell, Mr Alan Kemp and Mr Donald Gittings.

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ness over the past year. Amounts of up to \$500,000 (£382,000) are thought to be

At the centre of the problem

appears to be the absence of

the Eurobond market. It is

thought that this enables certain

**US** deficit

climbs

by \$8.9 bn

The American trade deficit

continued its relentless climb last month, widening by \$8.9 billion (£6.6 billion) as the

soaring dollar cut the volume of exports and increased imports.

Commerce Department officials said the deficit for the year now stands at \$59 billion.

They are projecting a record deficit of \$130 billion, for the year, almost double the the previous record of \$69 billion

ast year. Mr Malcolm Baldrige, the

Secretary of Commerce, said yesterday that in the second half

of the year he expected the

monthly trade deficits to be

traders to gain an advantage.

The group employs 50 people.

not assume anything.

the firm.

and in New York said yesterday that they felt that this was a low price which would be seen only for a very short period, as demand remains low and overproduction from Opec countries last month filters through to the market. Opec's June output is esti-

mated to have been 18.7 million barrels a day compared with an agreed maximum of 17.5 BNOC's holding of North Sea

prices will be welcomed by the Government, if not by contract customers who had been hoping for a reduction to nearer the Opec marker price of \$29. The Department of Energy, however, said yesterday that

government policy remained that the pricing of North Sea oil was a commercial matter between BNOC, its suppliers

However, Mr Mehdi Varzi, Government, while setting the oil industry analyst at Grieveson Grant, in a statement up to 1986, is quite prepared to cover losses made by BNOC on



Tam David West: Nigeria stays an Opec member

lesson to be drawn from BNOC's resistance to price cuts in the fourth quarter of 1983 is that the Government and not BNOC is the prime mover behind the North Sea oil price. "We are convinced that the

its trading operations during periods of oil price uncertainty." In a statement issued yesterday through the Opec sec-retariat in Vienna, Dr Tam David West, the Nigerian oil minister, denied rumours that Nigeria was about to leave

He said: "Opec will go from strength to strength and Nigeria will continue to belong to the organization. The strength of Opec is in members not taking unilateral decisions.

However, Nigeria will start
August with a new production
ceiling of 1.4 million barrels a

day rising to 1.45 million barrels a day from September 1. It is convinced that its new quota will form the basis for further negotiations on pro-duction increases in September In Glasgow yesterday Mr. Alick Buchanan-Smith, the

Energy Minister, said that a study showed that orders worth £750m were now available to British companies if they kept their prices competitive with

of the Chloride Group in

Company sources said that the ICL board accepted STC's

broad case about the conver-gence of telecommunication

and computer technology, but

has yet to be convinced that the

two companies are product

complimentary and was an-

noyed about the way STC launched its "out of the blue"

S G Warburg, ICL's mer-

chant bank, was a strong buyer of ICL shares in the stock

market vesterday, but this failed

to stop their price drifting lower

## **Doubts** over Esal rescue

last night over the rescue of Esal modities), the sugar trading company whose biggest customer was Nigeria but which has not traded since last Jamary and has debts of \$212m

(£161.7). Mr Graham Butler, chief executive of the Allied Arab Bank, one of seven which has put its name to a new rescue plan, said yesterday: "I have doubts even if a scheme is agreed that it will get off the ground because of discouraging news from Nigeria".

#### STOCK EXCHANGES

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#### **INTEREST RATES**

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# Shares setback for STC bid

director of Morgan Grenfell,

said: "It is common to get this sot of price reaction in the early

days of a bid. As the rationale

for the merger becomes more generally appreciated, I would

expect the price of the STC shares and by implication the value of the offer, to strengthen

ICL directors remained tight

lipped on their attitude to STC's

surprise offer. They have already rejected the bid as too low, but have yet to say anything on the industrial logic

Sir Michael Edwardes, ICL's

of a merger with STC.

The £347m bid by Standard Telephones and Cables for ICL. Britain's largest independent computer manufacturer, ap-peared to be in trouble last night less than two days after it was

STC's share price continued to slide on the stock market shedding a further 10p to 266p and in the process devaluing the worth of its two-for-seven share swap terms to 76p per ICL The offer was underwritten

on Thursday by Morgan Grenfell. STC's merchant bank, at exchange has taken such action 270p to give a cash alternative against one of its member firms. The first was against Halliday, bid of 77p per ICL share. The exchange announced the

STC was unperturbed by this early setback in its bid for control. Mr George Magan, a chairing a shareholders' meeting down at 82p. **Inspector reports on Fraser deals** 

Mr John Griffiths, QC, has completed his investigation into the dealing in House of Fraser shares after almost a year. His report was passed to the Department of Trade and Industry this week and is likely to be made public.

However, it is improbable that any statement will be made the Parliamentary recess next

Mr Griffiths was appointed and resulted in a significant former Secretary of State for Trade and Industry last August to find out whether House of Fraser shareholders have been making secret agreements between themselves on how to

vote their holdings. It was the first time a appointed to check such deals imprisonmment.

by Mr Cecil Parkinson, the shift of voting pattern in the complex and long-running battle between House of Fraser and Lonrho, its main shareholder, with a 29.9 per cent stake.

Sectret agreements - known as "concert parties" are out-lawed under 1981 Companies Act. The offence carries an government inspector had been unlimited fine and or two years

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executive chairman, refused to in the absence of any further comment when questioned after news from ICL. They closed 2p



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"Another reason why the big banks keep their charges down - it provides a market in which to cross sell profitable business like personal loans credit cards and insurance operations and equally importantly to stave off competition from newer and small

EVIDENCE BY THE COMMITTEE OF LONDON CLEARING BANKERS TO THE COMMITTEE TO REVIEW THE FUNCTIONS OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

"The Clearing Banks are also the main domestic source of foreign currency... and they keep stocks of currency in their tills for the purpose. However, reluctance of users of their services to bear the full cost have made it impossible to take account of increases in labour and other costs."

"As a result charges now cover only about 20% of the cost of providing the services and there is a considerable degree of cross-subsidisation between the users of money services and other bank

As you can see from what they themselves admit the banks only charge a fifth of the true cost when, say, a tourist changes money. So who pays the difference (since you can be sure it's not the banks)? You do through your credit cards, personal loans etc. as the National Consumer Council have confirmed. You subsidise the bank and the tourist. And Chequepoint is 'compared' against a rigged rate. Here are some more facts not readily trumpeted by the bankers claque: Chequepoint opens 165 hours a week compared to the banks 35 hours. Is that worth a small premium? Chequepoint's unsubsidised margins are possibly the lowest in the retail business. And chequepoint sells (don't confuse with buying) foreign currency at rates fully competitive with the banks.

SAY NO TO HIDDEN BANK CHARGES - USE CHEQUEPOINT

ISSUED BY PRESTOIL INC., 60, NATHAN ROAD, KOWLOON, HONG KONG

PRETAX PROFITS at Lex Service rose 54 per cent to former partners of James Capel £26.9m in the six months to with substantial financial back-

coupon of 's per cent over three. States.

Imiting investment by non- end of the year if the months Libor.

PB Securities has provided members of the Exchange in according to plan.

in London yesterday.

Dr Gillibrand, a former head of research at Chloride, has been strongly critical of the group's management and fought a widely publicized campaign and done "untold damage" to the group deficit higher."

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higher than the June figures.

He said: "Continuing growth in our economy will raise imports further and despite, export gains, will push US trade deficits higher."

US-backed firm opens on Monday

# Confidence at new broker

By Jeremy Warner

changed) for the six months to.

June 30, after announcing interim profits of £280m, (£274.8m). Net profits were in the last decade, is confident in the last decade, is confident in the stockbroking from to be created in the last decade, is confident interest in the stockbroker from interest in the last decade, is confident interest in the stockbroker from inte of achieving a "good level of business" when it begins trading

on Monday.

The firm was set up by two

Service 1006. The interior dividend higher. The interior dividend was raised 11 per cent to 4.1p net.

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LLOYDS BANK is to raise fillown by an issue of floating rate notes. The notes will be redeemable in 1996 and carry a counon of % per cent over three states.

With substantial financial backing house, which are likely to be published in draft form in the autumn.

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the present 29.9 per cent to 100 per cent when Stock Exchange rules permit. The Stock Exchange is

drawing up new rules governing membership of the market which are likely to be published

interim measure which will be superseded by the new membership rules in the autumn. Liberalization of the membership rules was a key part of the deal the Stock Exchange

STOCK MARKET REPORT

# Rally conquers Opec fears

By Derek Pain and Michael Clark

Shares were rocked by fears that the Opec cartel was on the verge of collapse yesterday but a late wave of new-time buying and a much firmer opening by

Wall Street lifted prices at the close. The FT 30 share index was 7.2 points lower at one time. But it closed only 1.1 points

down at 776.4 points. American favourites like British Petroleum, up 10p at 438p, and ICI, 8p higher at 550p, led the revival.

Government stocks were depressed, suffering falls of up

Oils were also worried b pressure on the Rotterdam spot price and disappointment with the Britoil figures. Britoil

decline on the day.

A takeover bid may be looming at last for Tootal, the textile group. The shares climbed to 51p highest for five years, in active trading. But Mr years, in active trading. But Mr Arnold Tydesley, a director, be sustained through the rest of said: "We have not received any the year. DCL's shares resisted takeover approach".

Suggested bidder is Vantona, the textile group created by Mr David Alliance. Its shares dipped a few coppers to 221p. At 51p, Tootal is valued at £90m. The company has been struggling through an indifferent trading patch and a bidder could believe the time has come to strike. Tootal recently disto strike. Tootal recently discry but its profits last year were good figures". But he hopes the

late 1970s. makers of energy saving controls, surged 47p to 240p after a operation.

255p a share cash bid from IML.

With the bullion price down 2550 a share cash bid from IML. neth Wade and other share-

capital, are backing the offer.

An investment trust which was the subject of a reverse takeover, Pactrol was at one about the failure of General time one of the market's Electric Co. to launch its still highflyers, soaring from around widely expected takeover bid. 75p to a 485p peak last year. The shares fell 7p to 331p. ICL, But the group's recent trading our largest computer group performance has been disappointing with year's profits materialised also dipped, down coming out at £429,000 against 3p to 81. £461,000. Lower current year interim profits were expected

IMI shares slipped 14p to

group, returned at 66p just 1p above their suspension price, was unsettled by the second half has just opened two new share) from Colas Products, part of the Shell Oil group.

FINANCE AND INDUSTRY

The offer has been accepted Electric Traction offer for the by shareholders with 16.5 per Initial Laundry group to the cent of the Glossop capital. Part Monopolies Commission left of the deal involves the sale to certain Glossop directors of the At one time, they were as low as company's AAA Industries subsidiary.

240p after the success of the last day of the offer. Leisure, which now has just over 50 per cent of the capital.

Further evidence that the Distilshares, at one time down to lers Co, the whisky to gin group, 198p, ended at 203p, a 7p may be heading for happier times emerged yesterday when its 50 per cent owned off shoot, United Glass, disclosed half-year profits of £649,000 against a £3.9m loss. The impovement, the market's downward drift to rise 1p to 290p.

Northern Foods fell 10p to 166p after the yearly share-holders' meeting. Mr Nicholas Horsley, chairman, said current played firm evidence of recov- the previous year's particularly still below the peak level in the position will improve as the Shares of Pactrol Electronics, interests spread from brewing to

Pactrol's chairman, Mr Ken- by more than \$7 an ounce, gold shares had a difficult session holders with 68 per cent of the but managed to halve earlier falls to around the \$3 mark.

British Aerospace remained a weak spot as the market fretted

The/ICL fall was, however, a profit-taking, knee-jerk reaction although the full year's figures to the company's rejection of may have registered a modest the offer from Standard Telephones and Cables. Many Mr Wade, the man who created Pactrol, is giving up the chairmanship and taking a £10,000 a year consultancy with the company.

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STC shares also responded to week on a turnover up from 72p. the company's bid excursion, £2.1m to just over £3m.
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343p.
The referral of the British Electric Traction offer for the

Initial shares down 55p to 431p. 410p. The decision to put the bid before the Monopolies Midsummer Inns held at Commission was taken on the

> Lourho, still thought to be interested in buying Mr Robert Maxwell's share stake in Fleet Holdings, was helped along by the imminence of its results, rising 4p to 139p.

Munford and White slipped 8p to 117p as profits were taken following the advance on the

But it now seems that the worst may be over. The group pushing hard overseas. But it is unlikely that the group will get back to its former profit levels in its current year.

Package holiday shares, depressed lately on the price-cutting war, showed some signs of rallying. Horizon and Intersun both made progress.

Brooke Bond had a see-saw

day. The shares drifted lower on the failure of the widely expected counter bidder to show any evidence of interest. But then they rallied and finished at 111p - unchanged. One of the many suspected bidders, Rowntree Mackintosb,

the confectionery group which is keen to extend its food side, takeover approach. At one time Munford's shares hit 255p compared with the 155p the shares were placed by the broker Grieveson Grant in International, the obscience of the strength from its figures – shares were placed by the process of the strength from its figures – international, the obscience of the strength of t shaded 2p to 290p. already closely associated with

The company has had a the Rembrant Group of South difficult trading time lately. It Africa and Philip Morris of reported year's profits more America, gained 4p to 143p on than halved at £201,000 this vague talk of bid developments.

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# **APPOINTMENTS**

# New top team

British Home Stores: Mr D.P. Cassidy is to be managing director and Mr J.F. Power deputy managing director. Sir Maurice Hodgson, chairman and chief executive, will become non-executive chairman next July and Mr Cassidy will assume chief executive re-

sponsibilities. Costain Group: Mr J.B.H. Scalon is to be director of marketing and business development, Richard Costain,

The Fleming Universal In-

vestment Trust: Lord Mark Fitzalan Howard has been elected chairman. Pergamon Press: Mr James Sharp has become operations

director. Croda International: Mr J.M. Cannon, head of operations in America and Japan, is appointed executive vice-chairman and group chief executive designate. Mr M.R. Valentine of S.G. Warburg, became non-executive vice-chairman. Mr D. Mather, senior director and financial controller, became a vice-chairman and group chief

Cmbridge Petroleum Roy-alties: Mr N.S. Cobbold, Mr A.F.M. Mathews and Mr C.L. de Rochechouart have became

TR Pacific Basin Investent Trust: Mr S. Ishizumi has ioined the board. Rock: Mr G. Alec Skinner has become empany secretary in

succession to Mr A.P. Timber Research and Development Association: Mr J.Barry Lewis, managing director of Schauman (UK), has been

elected chairmen, and Mr Norman Munday, chairman and amangaing director of Tower Timber Group, vicechairman.

Mandarin International Hotels: Mr Mark Boylan has become finance director, Mr Michael Williams, previously development director for M.l.H.L., vice-president - operation and development for North America, based in the US; Mr Graeme Laird, general manager of the Royal Orchid, general manger - regional developments, based in Singapore; Mr Malcolm McHardy, resident manager of the Royal

National Westminster Bank: Mr Ian Farnsworth and Mr Peter Newman are to lead the bank's international executive and senior accounts executive respectively.

# TEMPUS

# Prudence adds to the riddle of Britoil

life entered a new dimension yesterday, with the oil group announcing interm results amid rumours of the impending break-up of Opec. Not surprisingly, the shares plunged 12p to 198p on the news valuing the group post-floatation involves almost as many problems as the original offer

The changing impact of a variable sterling dollar rate on the profit and loss account may lie at the heart of market disenchantment. Britoil has taken on about \$360m of debt denominated in dollar. Using prudent accounting techniques, the group revalued its dollar liabilities, which resulted in a provision against operating profits of £17.6m. From unrea-

for sale.

lized currency losses.

Thus first-half pretax profits of £280m might have been closer to £300m without the provision. But simultaneously, the group invoices for its oil sales in dollars, so that revenue improves as sterling weakens.

But the market finds it hard to establish whether the trading gains offset completely, in an uncertain world of fluctuating crude demand, the dollar loans. If the sterling-dollar rate reverses, will profits, paradoxi-

cally, fall sharply?
Yesterday, Britoil put a brave face on these difficulties and stressed the output gains pending in the second half. The Hutton field is well on target to reach peak production quickly, and an intimated 8 per cent improvement on first-half crude oil sales of 27.3 million

barrels looks feasible.

Analysts, notably Mr. Chriss Rowland at De Zoete and Evan, stressed just how con-servative Britoil has been in striking its profit figures albeit not quite in the British Gas league, perhaps in reaction to the unpredictable exchange rate swings. The safegaurd credit against PRT, for example, might have been substantially higher than the published £15.6m, while depreciation and site restoration costs may have risen by as

But, even after such beneficial adjustments, net income for the full year sounds unlikely to exceed £150m, some £7m, ahead of the 1983 figure. Perhaps the market has

much as 40 per cent.

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#### Lex Service

Lex Service electronics compo-

the six months to July 1 it saw measured in interest rates, may sales grow by 80 per cent soon come down. against a market average of 50 per cent. The effect on profits was dramatic. Overall, US operating profits came out at £12 1m against only £1.9m in the previous first half and it was all organic growth. Fears of the collapse of the microcom-puter boom in the US do not seem to be affecting Lex's performance, despite their adverse effect on the share

The electronics components story was not confined to the US. British sales were up 94 per cent against a market average of 55 per cent and the story was similar in Germany. The traditional motor distribution side saw trading profits down 14 per cent in Britain, largely due to a two-week strike at the Volvo import centre in

March. Full-year profits are ex-pected to hit £55m pre-tax compared with £38.3m, putting the company on a prospective p/e ratio of 9. The shares eased 15p to 343p on doubts that this hectic growth can be sustained. The rate of growth will, indeed, slow in the current half, but the shares look good value.

#### Gilts

Yesterday's fall of % point at the long end suggests that the gilts market succumbed yet again to a fit of the vapours. But the reality behind the drop in prices, insofar as it can be identified, appears to be far less disturbing.

Customary Friday metal fatigue among jobbers and salesmen after a bruising week was as much to blame as the fall-out from New York rumours that Opec was breaking up. Indigestion after the showing.

Britoil's jinxed stock market overdone its violent reaction to Government broker's clearance the figures. Nevertheless, the sale on Thursday also contrib-

True the Treasury bill tender edged ahead by a fraction, as did 3-month interbank, but the higher discount rate on the T-bills nents distribution side in the could be ascribed to the greater United States is going like a supply of credit expected from train, easily achieving its objectives of diversifying earning event for British and the Exchequer moves into ings away from Britain and deficit. But a precautionary automotive distribution. Schweber Electronics in the impending credit does not US was bought in 1981 and in jeopardize hopes that its cost,

> And, wisely, the authorities refrained from testing sentiment to destruction by tapping the market again.

#### Watson

The Watson 1983 portfolio analysis, which measures the investment performance of Britain's pension funds, is chilling in its objectivity and consequently much feared by the City's pension fund managers. Scrupulously, this year, the Surrey firm of actuaries dissects the background to asset performance, concluding that neither size of fund, nor new cash inflow, nor even the level of activity are major determinants behind out-performance.

How surprising, then, that the Watson table measuring consistendy of performance, between 1979 and 1983, should reveal such a marked behavioural pattern. Some 96 funds, with perhaps £14 billion under management, were sampled over the period. Over the five years, only two unnamed funds failed to outperform in any of the five years. Some 18 funds managed an above average showing in one of the years; 28 enjoyed two such years; and no less than 35 produced three years of

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Thereafter, however, the number of funds outperforming drops very steeply. Only two funds out of the total sample managed to outperform in every year under review. Managers moving on? Insti-tutional hubris? Watson suggest that many funds failed to spot the 1982 gilt market boom, and this oversight may have wrecked their overall

super returns.

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# Northern Foods to sell US plant

NORTHERN FOODS: Mr
Nicholas Horsley, chairman, said
that in his annual statement, issued
a month ago, he indicated that
convent tracking was proving difficult. "This situation continues," he
told the extraordinary general
meeting. But the position is
expected to improve as the year
progresses. He also reported that a
conditional arrangement had been
made to dispose of the Milwankee
slaughtering plant, Patrick Cudahy.

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HALLITE: has declared a final dividend of 4.75p making 7.75p (11.5p) for 52 weeks to April 28 last. Figs in £000 indicate turnover of 13.297 (11,170), an operating profit of 176 (1,181) and related company loss of 38 (13 profit). Pretax loss was 93 (1,023 profit) with loss per share at (net basis) 5.8p (earnings 29.9) and (nil basis) loss 4.1p (earnings 33.2p). Shares were 155, down 20.

NMC INVENTMENTS. has

NMC INVESTMENTS: has announced a dividend of 1p (0.75p). for the year to March 31 last. Figures in £000 indicate a turnover of 3.484 (2.849) with pretta profit at 251 (50). Shares were 13 up 2. The board says that results reflect active trading conditions and the recovery to modest profits by P. Corrugated Cases which made a profit of 47.5 (64 loss).

WAGON INDUSTRIAL HOLDINGS has declared a final dividend of 4p making 6p (same) for the year to March 31 last. Figures in £000 show a turnover of

**EURO-\$ DEPOSITS** 

The dollar's strength once

again dominated foreign ex-change market trading. It

advanced over a broad front continuing to reflect the US

economy's strength and the

likelihood of lower inflation as

The pound expressed renewed concern over oil prices,

finishing 2.10 cents down at 1.3105. Although lower against other major currencies, the pound finished well off bottom

position: at one stage, it was more than two pfennigs down

against the Deutsche mark, but clsed at 3.7750 (against 3.7890). Meantime, the pound's trade

weighted index retreated at 78.4

The \$8.91 billion US trade

deficit for last month was less than expected, and this gave an

additional boost to dellar

The Deutsche mark tumbled

to 2,8820 (2,8470), despite

Bundesbank support, Swiss francs to 2.4580 (2.4285), and the French franc to 8.8390 (87395). Th yen fell to 245.10 (243.70).

• LAMONT HOLDINGS will acquire B. H. McClery & Co from July 31. Consideration is £1.6m to be satisfied by the issue of 1,440,000

from 79.0 overnight.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

STERLING SPOT and FORWARD RATES

were 78 up 2.

■ TRENT HOLDBINGS has announced a final dividend of 0.525p making 0.875p (0.7p adjusted) for the year to March 31 last. Figures in £000 indicate group turnover at 4,245 (3,202), pretax profit at 512 (364) after interest payable ad similar charges 31 (38). Taxation accounted for 5 (37). Earnings per share were 7.62p (5.02p adjusted) and shares were 85 down 4.

• R E A HOLDINGS: The ● R E A HOLDINGS: The company has declared a dividend of 1p for 1983. Figures in £1000 show a turnover of £30,321 (£26,610) with pretax profit at £1,293 (£344) and tax at £779 (£116). Current cost pretax profit was £1,180 (£252). The extraordinary item is the profits, net of tax, on disposal of the former freight forwarding division, and on the sale of the group's holding in Para Telephone Co.

**DOLLAR SPOT RATES** 

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NEW RATE

66,794 (60,908) with pretax profit at 3,832 (2,904) and tax. at 2,118 is issuing a final dividend of 1p making. 1,25p (same) for year to March 31 last figures in the United Kingdom.

• REGALIAN PROPERTIES has amounced a final dividend of 1,75p making 2,5p (1,25p) for the year to March 31 last. Figures in 266 (£56). Tax accounted for £52 (nil). Pretax profit was 785 (533) with tax at 357 (162). Barnings per share of £15,914 (£15,246). When the per share were 9,62p (8,36p) and shares were 78 up 2.

• TRENT HOLDENGS has an of £167 (£962). Barnings a share of £167 (£962). Barnings a share loss 30 (566 profit).

a turnover of £15,351 (£11,574) with trading profit at £1,013 (£540) and operating profit at £1,079 (£596) including other operating income £66 (£56). Pretax profit was £545 (£130) after interest payable £534 (£466). Tax accounted for £52 (nil).

• FORMINSTER has amounced a final dividend of 3.53p making 5.456p (4.97p) for the year to April 30 last. Figures in £000 indicate a turnover of £15,914 (£15,2746). Group profit (attributable) was £866 (£649) after all charges including tax of £167 (£962). Enraings a share were 18.75p (12.77p). Shares were unchanged at 148p.

• P AND W MACLELLAN: Mr C Howard, the chairman, has written to shareholders giving more information about the purchase of Associated Business Technology and Johnstone Investment Co. He says that at the half-year stage, the turnover of the Machellan group had increased by 24 per cent over the

increased by 24 per cent over the comparable figure for 1983 to approximately £4,226,000. The chairman is quite optimistic about the interim results.

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• CRESCENT JAPAN INVESTMENT TRUST: Six months to
June 30. No interim dividend.
Figures in £000. Investment income
362 (223). Interest received 71 (17).
Gross income 434 (248). Administrative expenses 172 (118). Pretax
profit 261 (123). Tax 121 (53).

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of around £900m.

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WATSHAMS: Final 9.6p making 13.725 (12.1p) for year to March
 Turaover £7.462m (£6.353m);
 Gross profit £2.986m (£2.518m).

Other operational expenses £1.583m (£1.383m). Investment income £6.3.322 (£78,799). Interest payable £6.960 (£928). Pretax profit £1.459m (£1.213m). Tax £531,782 (£486,645). Earning per share 34.5p (27.3n).

● VALOE: Chairman, Mr Michael Montague told shareholders at the annual meeting that existing home appliance products were selling well with orders for immediate delivery above the level of the same time last

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amounted to £267m.

MONEY MARKETS

making ip (2.5p) for year to March 31. Figures in £000. Turnover 5,816 (5,066). Trading profit 110 (581). Net interest payable 140 (15). Preux loss 30 (566 profit). SCOTTISH ICE RINK CO

(1928): Half year to March 31. Turnover £178,557 (£176,152). Trading profit £16,807 (£16,531). Investment and rental income £15,000 (£13,495). Pretax profit £31,807 (£30,026). Earnings per there 47,12250 (44,4829h). share 47,1225p (44.4829p).

● RIVER PLATE AND GEN-ERAL INVESTMENTS: Interim dividend 1.7p (1.4p) for half year to June 30. Figures in £000. Tax 181 (234). NFT revenue 409 (460). Earnings per deferred share 2.58p (2.9p). Final dividend of 4.8p. • UKO INTERNATIONAL: The

chairman, Sir Ian Morrow, reported that for the first three months of the present financial year the manage ment accounts show turnover and profit up compared with the same period last year. INVESTMENT TRUSTS

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# Goldsmiths doubles its size for £8.5m

Northerm Goldsmiths the ewellers and bookmaking business, effectively doubled its size yesterday by spending £8.5m on two businesses, one from the chairman and the other from Sears Holdings,

The group is acquiring Anthony Gover, an insurance consultation and brokerage company, controlled by Northem's chairman Mr Anthony Gover for £500,000 cash and shares valued at last night's 196p at almost £3m.

Up to a further 950,000 shares could be handed over depending on Gover's profits performance in the years to

The group is also buying Walker and Hall, from Mappin and Webb, the jewellery arm of

Sears for an estimated £4.63m to be funded by 2,647,174 new Northern shares.
None of trhe shares issued immediately for either acqui-

sition will rank for the interim dividend for the year to February 28, 1985.
Gover's premium income for the year to the end of April this year was £7.6m.

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For the present year the Gover directors are forecasting £400,000, with the proceeds of the 19.8 per cent, which Goverowns, of Goldsmith

Walker and Hall, the 44-store jewellery chain started 12 years ago ran into problems in 1982 Turnover was £9.9m in the year to the end of January this year on which a net loss before tax was incurred of £466,542.

# Directors to buy control of Walford Maritime

Four directors of Walford Walford Maritime shares not Maritime Holdings, the inter-national shipping and transport B&C Shipping is making services company, are expected to acquire 55.1 per cent of the company in a management buyout to be completed in the

next two weeks In a deal worth £336,566, the four directors - Mr Hugh Walford, Mr Keith Nethercot, Mr Patrick Hurst and Mr Colin Morgan - would pay 60p in cash for each of the 560,943

B & C Shipping is making a loan to the new holding company. A spokesman for Vickers da Costa, adviser to the independent minority share-

holders of Walford Maritime said: "B & C do not want to control Walford Maritime themselves because Walford's activities, mainly in Africa, do not fit well with B & C's own

#### **WALL STREET**

New York (Agencies).-Stock The NYSE was ahead 0.12 to prices were slightly higher early 84.46 and the price of an yesterday as Wall Street tried to average share was ahead four sustain a two-day rally.

The Dow Jones average was ahead 1.00 to 1,108.55 after an hour. The average has risen 20.98 the past two sessions after a five-day drop of 36.33 that put the Dow at its lowest since February 22, 1983.

cents. Advances led declines 663-475 among the 1,605 issues crossing the tape. First-hour volume amounted

to about 23 million shares (22,6 million).



## FAMILY MONEY

#### **FAMILY MONEY MARKET**

Banks Current account - no interest paid,
Deposit accounts - Midland,
Lloyds, Natwest 8.75 per cent,
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notice required for withdrawals.
Lloyds extra interest 11 per cent.
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Ordinary accounts - Interest 6 per cent on £500 minimum on deposit for whole of 1984, otherwise 3 per cent. Investment Account - 9%/sinterest paid without deduction of tax, months notice of withdrawal, maximum investment £50,000. National Savings Certificates 27th

issue Return totally free of income and capital gains tax, equivalent to an annual interest rate over the fiveyear term of 7.25 per cent, maximum investment £5,000.

National Savings Income Bond Min investment £2,000 - max. £50,000. Interest - 10 per cent variable at six weeks notice - paid monthly without deduction of tax. Repayment at 3 or 6 months notice - check penalties.

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£50,000, 10 per cent variable at six weeks notice Credited annually without deduction of tax. Repayment at three months' notice.

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and 2.30pm) see also on Prestel no 24808. Building societies Ordinary share accounts - 7.75 per cent. Extra interest accounts usually pay 1 per cent over the ordinary share rate. Regutar savings schemes - 1.25 per cent over BSA advised ordinary share rate. Rates quoted above are those most commonly offered, individual most commonly offered. Individual building societies may quote different rates. Interest on all Investors in industry

Fixed term, fixed rate inve of between 3 and 10 years, interest paid half-yearly without deduction of tax: 3 years, 12.5 pur cent; 4 years, 12.5 per cent; 5 years 12.75 per cent; 6 years, 12.75 per cent; 7-10 years 12.75 per cent. Further information from 91 Waterloo Road, London SE1 (01-928 7822).

Finance house deposits (UDY) Fixed-term, fixed-rate deposit interest paid without deductions of tax. Five-Fifty scheme: 6 months 11 per cent; 1 year, 11½ per cent; 2 years, 11% per cent. June RPI: 351.9.

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No. 003060 OF 1984 IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

> IN THE MATTER of **BOWATER INDUSTRIES** PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

IN THE MATTER of THE COMPANIES ACT 1948

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDER of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division dated the 16th July, 1984 CONFIRMING the REDUCTION of the CAPITAL of the above named Company from £200,000,000 to £109,610,560, and the CANCELLATION of the SHARE PREMIUM ACCOUNT of the Company amounting to the sum of £116,826,642 and the Minute approved by the Court showing with respect to the Capital of the Com-pany as aftered the several particulars required by the above Statute were registered by the Registrar of Com-panies on the 20th day of July, 1984.

> Dated this 23rd day of July, 1984. ALLEN & OVERY, 9 Cheapaide, London, EC2V 6AD. Solicitors for the above-named Company

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£ 7,000	£ 74-38	£18,000	£191-25			
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• PORTSMOUTH & SUNDER-

mter-grp) 3,212 (3,167). Pretax loss 166 (profit 74). Loss per share 1.96p, Shares unchanged at 36½p.

BRITISH AND COMMON-WEALTH SHIPPING CO: The

chairman, Lord Cayzer, told shareholders at the annual meeting

● PORTSMOUTH & SUNDER-LAND NEWSPAPERS: Thirteen weeks to June 30. Figures in £000. Group turnover 10,913 (7,957). Group pretax profit 865 (832). Tax 389 (credit 164). Earnings per share 3.9p (8.3p). Pretax profit including investment 9 (13) and interest payable 146 (credit 81). Figures include Jesse Ward Investments since acquisition on November 4.

■ JOHN I JACOBS: Six months to June 30. Interim dividend 1.2p (1p) payable on October 30. Figures in £000. Turnover 612 (497). Gross profit 114 (65). Pretax profit 615 (562). Tax 124 (76). Extraordinary credits nil (1,892). Earnings per share 2.13p (2.11p). Shares 48½ up ½.

very good.

GOTAAS-LARSEN SHIP:
For six months to June 30, Figures in \$000. Revenue 25,053 (15,559) share of associates 8,384 (6,251) operational profit 33,437 (21,810). Pretax profit 14,097 (loss 1,484). Exchange losses 918 (35). Earning per share \$1.2 (loss \$0.14). • LADIES PRIDE: Six months to May 31. Interim dividend 0.5p (same). Figures in £000. Sales (excl **CHANCERY DIVISION** 

the full year.

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#### **UNIT TRUSTS**

# Commission may go up to 20%

New investors in unit trust savings plans may find themselves having to pay first year broking commissions of up to 20 per cent by the end of the summer. At present unit trust companies which are members of the Unit Trust Association pay up to 3 per cent a year to

recognized brokers The UTA has written to members canvassing their opinions on a new agreement allowing commissions of up to 20 per cent in the first year of savings schemes, and then further payments after the sixth

If it receives the favourable response it expects, it will be ratified in September.

Since the cost of the new commission will be borne by the investor on joining a scheme it will be a strong disincentive to withdraw early.

Although some unit trust companies may choose to return the commission and bear the cost themselves if the investor withdraws within the first few months, few are likely to do so since it could prove extremely expensive.

Several management companies are considering the new commission stucture as a way of persuading brokers to sell until trust schemes instead of insurance-linked plans.

## Earth tremor checks

Mr Joseph Bradshaw, who produces Bradshaw's Guide to Do-It-Yourself House Buying, Selling and Conveyancing, says housebuyers should be particularly wary following this week's widely-felt earth tremor. "Do not rely entirely on anyone else – they have been known to make mistakas. You can sue later, but who wants the bother," he says.

"So if you are buying a house, particularly one that has been built since 1976 in any of these areas, please read carefully the instructions contained in the guide", is his recommendation. Mr guide , is his recommendation. My Bradshaw also suggests that you should not rely entirely on a survey carried out before the earth tremor. "Make a trip to the house and cast your eye over it closely and from a distance force proceedings on any further." he save

cosery and from a distance percret proceedings go any further," he says.
Copies of Bradshaw's Guide to Do-ItYourself House Buying, Selling and
Conveyancing are available from Castle
Books, 5 Blackdown, Learnington Spe.
CV25 BRA, Price £5.45 (paperback) £8.45
(heathack) plus 500 post and packaring (hardback) plus 50p post and packaging.

# **Student offer**

All first year students opening a current account at Lloyds Bank before October 31, will receive a free £6 voucher, redeemable at about 3,000 bookshops in

They will also have the opportunity of winning prizes worth £20,000 in the new Lloyds Bank Student Award competition. One hundred prizes of £200 each are being offered to students who correctly answer six general knowledge questions, and complete a tie-break

All student account holders will be able to take subscriptions to the Econor and New Scientist magazines at discount prices. Free banking is offered on all acounts – even those which overdraw up ce-linked plans.

Richard Thomson

accounts - even mose which overdraw up to £100. Overdrafts are by arrangement, and atthough no bank charges are payable, interest is charged.

#### Guaranteed yield

A guaranteed net yield of 10 per cent equivalent to 14,29 per cent gross to the basic rate taxpayer is being offered by imperial Life on its new 5-year

Minimum investment is £1,000 and the net income is payable annually. In the event of death during the term, the original investment is returned, together with an additional £7.10 per £1,000 invested for each complete month since the previous year's income payment. The maximum age of entry is 80.

Further details from: The imperial Life Group of Companies, Imperial Life House, London Road, Guildford, Surrey GU1 1TA (Tel: 0483 571255).

#### The table toppers

Which is the most efficient building society? According to the Cheltenham & Gloucester, it comes top of the efficiency league table with management expenses of 0.93 per £100 of mean total assets. nia is in second place with a figure of 1.09 per cent with Woolwich, Nationwide and Halifax in third, fourth and fifth places with expense ratios of 1.19 per cent, 1.23 per cent and 1.25 per cent respectively.

Share rate rise Lambeth Building Society's High Yield Share interest rate is being increased by 1.60 per cent to 9.65 per cent per annum net of basic rate tax from next Wednesday. This is equivalent to 13.79 per cent gross for the basic rate

Minimum investment is £500 and maximum £30,000 with withdrawal details available from Lambeth Building Society, 118/120 Westminster Bridge Road, London SE1 7XE (Tel: 01-928 1331).



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## Housing costs

Housing Finance: Who Gains? by John Ermisch is a study that shows how the tax treatment of owner-occupiers, the rent-setting and allocation practices of local authorities, and rent control in the private sector can produce a divergence between the cost of housing faced by the consumer and the cost of producing the

Such a divergence is called a subsidy, and the study uses the Family Expenditure Survey to measure the size and distribution of these subsidies.

Analysis of the distribution of these housing subsidies concludes that "they are inefficient, encouraging overproduction of housing at the upper end of the market while leaving many poor people inadequately housed". A reform of the housing market accompanied by a new way of helping poor people afford decent housing is proposed.

Copies available from Policy Studies Institute, 1/2 Castle Lane, London SW1E

6DR (Tel: 01-826 7055). Price 23.50, including post and packaging.

#### US motoring cover

Public concern shout motor insurance in the US, first highlighted in The Times, has prompted car hirers Hertz to arrange \$1 million extra cover for United Kingdom residents visiting the US at just \$2.15 a

The standard Hertz USA rental agreement already provides basic cover for death or bodily injury of \$100,000 per person and \$25,000 for property damage, included in the cost of the car rental. The new policy covers claims against the Hertz driver or authorized driver above the standard Hertz USA

There is provision for compensation for death or injury to the Hertz client and passengers when caused by a motorist who is uninsured (including hit-and-run accidents) or whose insurance is invalidated or is inadequate to meet the amount of award.

The new cover is available only to United Kingdom residents and must be arranged and bought before the traveller leaves the United Kingdom. The necessary forms are mailed to every client on request by the Hartz reservation

## Penalty-free cash

Pacdington Building Society has streamlined further its higher rate notice accounts since the launch of its Emergency Card, which allows one penalty-free withdrawal of up to £2,500 every year. Penalty-free withdrawals will be allowed on the Seven Day Account, which pays 8.75 per cent net of basic rate tax, and on the one month's police. tax, and on the one month's notice Flexible Account (9.25 per cent), provided that at least 25,000 remains in

in addition, the society now permits instant withdrawals on the Seven Day Account with a one-week Interest penalty. Further details from Paddington Building Society.

#### Loans to partners

Partners in accountancy and solicitors' practices will be able to release personal capital locked into their partnerships or raise fresh funds with a new, tax efficient loan scheme offered by Royal Trust.

Unsecured loans of between £15,000 and £100,000 will be available to individual members of practices with more than 10 partners, and secured loans are available to smaller partnerships.

Only interest is repaid during the period of the loan, there is a compatitive interest rate at 2 per cent above London inter Bank offer rate and repayment of capital is made from a personal pension plan. The scheme also offers three-way tax benefit on interest payments, pension contributions and capital growth. It does not require personal or partnership guarantee, and does not interfere with existing banking arrangements. existing banking arrangements.

The scheme is aveilable from RoyTrust Financial Services, Royal Trust House, 48-50 Cannon Street, London EC4N 6LD.

#### Four-year guarantee

A guaranteed bonus bond which gives investors an annual bonus of between 9.5 per cent and 10 per cent net of basic rate tax according to the size of the investment, is being offered by Providence Capitol. It may either be cashed in to give an annual income, or left to accrue to give a guaranteed capital growth at the end of the four-year investment period. Both the annual income and the capital growth are tax-free to basic rate taxpayers.

Investors taking the annual income option are guaranteed the return of their original investment after four years. The minimum investment is £1,500.

For investors taking the capital growth option, the guaranteed capital sum returned after four years is: for investments between £1,500 and £4,999, £1,438 per £1,000 invested; for investments between £5,000 and £9,999, £1,453 per £1,000 invested; for

Investments of £10,000 or more, £1,454 per £1,000 invested. Details available from Providence Capitol Life Assurance. Tel 01-749 9111.

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#### Cheshire's Champion

Cheshire Builtding Society is paying 9.25 per cent on its new Champion Bond, with 80 days notice of withdraws!. Nationwide is paying the same rate, 9.25 per cant, on a new Bonus 90 account which requires you to give 90 days notice of withdraws! with a minimum investment of £500 or £3,000 if you want to take monthly locame.

#### A 'bonus' account

Nationwide Building Society is introducing a new 90-day investment account from next Wednesday. The new account – Bonus-90-offers 9.25 per cent out of basic rate tax, which is 1.5 per cent above the basic Ordinary Share rate.

Withdrawals will be available at the loss of 90 days' interest. Minimum investment will be £500.

Monthly income will be available to stors with balances above £3,000 and the 90-day penalty will be waived on withdrawals from accounts which continue to maintain a balance above 210,000.

#### Minster fund

Anyone wanting to make a donation to the York Minster Restoration Fund should go to their Leeds Permaneni Building Society branch where a special account has been opened.

The York Minster Restoration Fund account number is 10DO267480 and is available at any one of the Leeds' 470 branches. A spokesman for the Leeds said: "The total collected nationally will be passed to the York Minster Fund on closure of the passed of closure of the account, plus interest of

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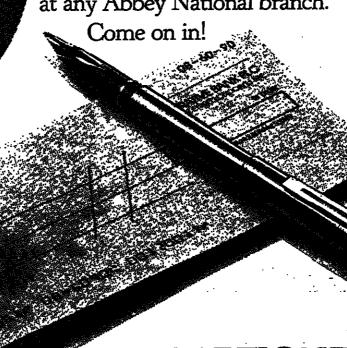
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# Stamps-investment that turned sour

**VALUES** 

and his wife Winifred.

as alternative investment.

But four years later their stamps according to Stanley Gibbons are worth only about half what they paid for them. "I can hardly believe it," said Mr

She said: "The brochure we received said that stamps have been appreciating by 20 or 25 per cent a year, It also said that Stanley Gibbons might buy them back. I presumed this meant it would do so at more or less the same price as we paid for them. But we have had valuations from the firm each year and the value has sunk lower. Now apparently they are worth just half of what we paid

Last December, Stanley Gibbons wrote the Swanns a letter which said: "The expected resale value at this time is £1,590".

The letter also said that this meant the Swanns had to consider holding on to their stamps for at least another three

Experts say that what has happened to the Swanns is typical of what has happened to a lot of small investors. When the Swanns bought their stamps they did not know and nobody told them that it would take a rise of 30 or 40 per cent in stamps' value before they even broke even on the

Never invest money in some- deal, let alone were able to sell thing you don't understand - their stamps for a profit.
that seems to be the moral to be In fact, in the first 12 months, drawn from the sale of The the value of their stamps seem Times readers Mr Tony Swann to have actually risen. Yet they

would still, not realize more In 1980, when they were than £2,100 from reselling living overseas they bought a them, £900 less than they portfolio of stamps for invest-ment from Stanley Gibbons, for wrote them a letter in October £3,000. They had seen a series 1981, a year after they bought, ents in national which said, "The six items are newspapers by Stanley Gibbons currently insured for a sum of and a number of other firms £3,175. This is the price we extolling the virtues of stamps would sell them at now if you were buying them at this time. The current market price, what you would expect to realize on the sale would be considerably

less, approximately £2,100." In other words, Stanley Gibbons' mark-up when the Swanns bought their stamps appears to have been about 50 per cent. So even before stamp values started to fall, the Swanns had effectively lost a third of their money. Margins of up to 40 per cent are quite normal in the stamp trade," says Mr Reg Atkinson, at Stanley Gibbons who sold them the stamps in

the first place. "That is why we say in our brochure that people should be prepared to hold on to their stamps for at least five years to see a good return. I am sure we explained this to the Swanns at the time. But obviously we do not go around telling people what our profit margins are who does?"

Mr Atkinson said that there were dealers who undercon Stanley Gibbon's catalogue prices which were the prices at which the Swanns bought but cannot sell.

The point is, however, that the convention of buying and selling in the stamp trade makes stamps a particularly unsuitable and expensive form of invest-ment for anyone who is not primarily a collector.

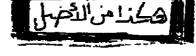
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JAGUAR ISSUE

# Share to set the pulse racing

there is every reason to expect),

there is no reason why Jaguar's

shares should not continue to

however that they could be in

for a bumpy - if exciting ride - in the longe term. The car

and at those of its suppliers.

The greatest unknown is how

its long-awaited new model, the

and has not entirely succeeded in dispelling industry rumours

performing as well in tests as it

To buy shares in Jaguar is to

Mr John Egan and his man-agenment team, who have

rescued the company from

and application forms can be obtained from Hill Samuel from brokers Cazenove and Laing & Cruickshank, and from

Barclays Bank in Farringdon

potential disaster since 1980. Copies of the offer for sale

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The sale of shares in Jaguar, BL's luxury saloon car manufacturing subsidiary, has already attracted enormous interest run ahead of supply (which from potential investors both

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here and overseas. With its famous name and glamorous past on the world's motor racing circuits, Jaguar is the kind of company that inevitably sets the pulse going at above average cread should not continue to perform well over the next few months.

Anybody who does buy Jaguar shares should be aware

above average speed. Should you put some of your money into Jaguar? You have a in the longe term. The car few days still to decide, since applications do not have to be and Jaguar's success will be very in until 10 am next Friday. The dependent on outside factors asking price is 165p a share, such as the exchange rate, which asking price is 165p a share, which values the company at £297m. Applications for fewer than 100 shares will not be considered.

It is unfortunate that the Jaguar issue is being launched at a time when the market as a sand at those of its suppliers.

whole is still groggy after its recent sharp falls. Unless the market takes a tumble in the next few days however, there seems a good chance that the launched. The company refuses Jaguar issue will go well – that is, be oversubscribed, and go to an days not entirely succeeded in discussion in the launch, and days not entirely succeeded. an initial premium when

More than half of Jaguar's sales are in the United States, where its XJ6 and XJ12 models easily undercut its main rivals
- BMW, Mercedes and Porsche in the luxury saloon market. With the pound still so weak against the dollar. Jaguar's booming US sales have sent its profits soaring - to £50m last year, and £41m already in the first six months of this year. Taking the last 12 months

carnings, the shares in Jaguar are being sold on a multiple of 6.9 times earnings, which is not very demanding. The indicated yield is 6.7 per cent.

Street, London and several

Jonathan Davis

# Stagging too risky

the Jaguar Cars issue, do not do higher than 15 to 17 per cent if it on borrowed money.

Buying the shares in the hope that they will quickly go to a lowed TSB Visa in raising its premium once dealing starts is charges from 1.75 per cent a always risky. But at today's mouth to 2 per cent, bringing interest rates, the cost of the annual percentage rate financing the purchase if you (APR) to 26.8 per cent. A Barclayloan will cost 27.2 per cent. financing the purchase if you are obliged to hang on to your shares, could make this a doubly expensive exercise.

A £10,000 overdraft from the bank will cost you £1,500 in interest charges if the loan is outstanding for a year. Your over the period by at least 12 per cent from the issue brice of 165p to 184p before you will draft to pay off any credit card But almost inevitably you w have covered your costs.

Overdrafts, still the cheapest form of borrowing (unless you can persuade your bank man-ager to give you a loan account) now cost 15 to 17 per cent. Personal loans from the bank are now so expensive at rates of more than 20 per cent that it is difficult to see why anyone with an alternative would use this

form of credit. Loan accounts are always cheaper than an overdraft. The interest charge is the same as on an overdraft, but because it is in a separate account, it allows you to keep your current account in credit - and, with a minimum balance of £100, avoiding bank at between 5 and 6 per cent, the charges. The real cost of an real cost of overdraft on your current 10 per cent.

If you are thinking of stagging account can be substantially you write a lot of cheques.

Barclaycard this week folcent (APR) so do not think of buying your Jaguar shares on a credit card loan.

Settling your account in full each month has always been the most cost effective way of using credit cards. But with this borrowing, is even greater.

The forgetful credit card user who settles the account in full each mouth, but manages to incur interest charges by not paying by the right date, would do well to consider a switch to American Express or Diners

These are not credit cards and there is an annual charge of £17.50 for Diners Club, £22.50 on American Express. But you are given considerable leeway in terms of payment by a specific

But the real message is - do not borrow unless you really have to. With inflation running real cost of borrowing is at least

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Higher interest rates are good news for investors who are now receiving the highest real return, after taking inflation into account, that has been available for many years.

The new 28th Issue National Savings Certificates will be on sale at post offices on August 8, and for anyone paying basic rate tax or above, this is an issue not to be missed.

It offers a tax-free return of 9 per cent guaranteed over the five-year term with a maximum investment of £5,000 per

For top rate taxpayers the return is equivalent to a gross interest rate of 22.5 per cent unobtainable anywhere else without substantial risk.

Many of these 60 per cent taxpayers will be able to invest up to the maximum without realizing other investments. But is it worth cashing in existing holdings of National Savings Certificates to buy this new

In some cases it is. The 27th Issue has been on sale only since March. No interest will be earned if you cashin within the first 12 months, but the new 28th issue is not expected to be on sale for long.

National Savings has suspended the 27th issue, rather than withdrawing it, which indicates that the Treasury expects interest rates to fall fairly quickly and envisages resuscitating the 27th issue.

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fLocal authority town hall bonds
fShort-dated glits

# Best return for top-rate taxpayers



It is worthwhile eashing in 27th, forgoing any interest you might have earned, and reinvesting in the new 28th version.

For holders of the 18th, 19th, 21st, 23rd, and 24th issues the return on 28th issue is worse, or in the case of 18th issue which pays 8.45 per cent tax free, and 24th issue paying 8.92 per cent not sufficiently attractive to

make it worth switching.
If you invested in 25th and 26th issues, it is a little more tricky since the decision to switch will depend on how far into the five-year term you are, bonds will b

RETURN AT VARYING RATES OF TAX ON FIXED INTEREST INVES

Barcleys pays 9.0%. "12.75% from Sept 2. † These rates are the average available.

and whether you want to extend the term of your investment. If you are into the fourth year of the 25th issues or the third year of the 26th, it will pay to

Other changes in National Savings include the increase from 9.25 per cent to 12 per cent (without deduction of tax) on National Savings Bank Investment Account (Invac). This is particularly attractive to non-taxpayers. The new rates Annual returns on 25th and

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# Getting the best holiday money deal

credit cards. But with this have been short-changed current rise in rates, the your bank when you can incentive to negotiate an over- money to go on holiday abyon find another hank rate harr better own - either in this country when you arrive abroad.

Rates vary so much - not je from day to day - but from bank to bank and even branch to branch sometimes. There a also different charging stru ures to contend with in trying compare a deal offered by or bank with another.

Frankly, the "shop around" advice is futile when it involves so triuch effort and makes relatively little difference in

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guaranteed income bond desk. Lorna Bourke

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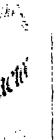
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**TENNIS** 

Essex breathe down

Middlesex's neck

By Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondent

The Prudential County Cup competition which should have in four days they lost the first set but won the match. "We are not playing as well this year" Lewis and wednesday's programme of \$43 matches had to be postponed because of rain and there were not enough hours of daylight to cram there were been reasonably good, but we haven been returning as well."

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Lewis, aged 29, is a useful man to have around. After all, he won six of his twelve Davis Cup singles from 1977 to 1982. Any man who can break even in the Davis Cup competition has to be more than welcome at inter-county level. Yesterday Lewis and Hughesman came from behind to beat Mike Appleton and Willie Davies of Lancashire by 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

With Hughesman serving at 6-5 in the third set there were three match points. Twice Hughesman missed the mark with his first service. Twice Appleton returned the second ball so hard that even Lewis's volleying could not cope with the assault.

Lewis's volleying could not cope with the assault.

Then Hughesman did the sensible thing he put a first service into court and wrapped up point, game, set and match with two volleys. Two volleys tend to be necessary in this event, in which everybody kapsand lungers about with maniacal verve in contriving some kind of

verve in contriving some kind

return.
Two issues have already been decided. Kent have retained the women's championship and the Warwickshire men have been

Durham and Cleveland by East of Scotland #-3, North Wates by Northerts 8-1, Denast by Stropplante 5-4. Group Serves (Malvert): Northambertand by Cumbria 8-0; Comman's by South of Scotland 8-1, Gloucastershire by Wilshire 7.

• SYDNEY: Pam Shriver, the

defending champion, criticised Hana Mandlikova after the Czech

Hana Mandikova after the Czech girl's lethagic display in the semi-binal of the Australian Indoor Championship (AP reports). After taking an hour to win 6-3, 6-2. Miss Shriver said: "It's always discourag-ing when someone doesn't give their best effort and there are ways of losing a match. I know that Hana is tired but so are the others and I

tired but so are the others and i

shame."

Miss Mandikova, who claimed

of the reasons for her disappointing defeat, said: "I don't count this

tournament as a real tournament but more as an exhibition and was surprised at the serious manner in

which Pam played." Miss Shriver meets Chris Lloyd in today's final.

relegated to group two.

9.30 this morning at Eastbourne.

Wednesday's programme of 543 matches had to be postponed because of rain and there were not

enough hours of daylight to cram those extra marches into Thursday's and yesterday's programmes. The championship and relegation issues

have yet to be thoroughly sorted

out.

The Middlesex men, who have won 36 of the 77 championships, including last year's, are still threstened by Essex, champions five times from 1976 to 1982. Middlesex.

Thursday but

times from 1976 to 1982. Minduses: beat Essex on Thursday but yesterday Essex stayed on their heels with a 6-3 win over Surrey. Paul Rockie, paired with Robin Drysdale, won the decisive point with an

ace against Jeremy Bates and John

Surrey are now confronted by the possibility of relegation, which is a rather undignified prospect for a county who have won the cham-

resions, both need to me championship more often than anybody except Middlesex. Today Middlesex play Surrey, and, for different reasons, both need to win. There could hardly be a more dramatic

Climax.

The Middlesex first pair, Pat Hughesman and Richard Lewis, won all their 15 matches last year and have been almost as effective this time. Almost, but not quite. They have a knack, though, of

Printential, County Cup: (Thursday's results): Mest: Group One (Zeathourne): Surrey bt Warkenbishine S-6: Lancashine it Derbyshine S-4: Aickideast bt Espect 7-2. Group Two (Felikastone): Kent bt Yorkshine S-4: West of Scoffand bt Leicestenshine B-1: Somerand bt Purkleybrashine B-1:

Derbyshire 5-4; Middlesex to Essex 7-2; Group True (Felistatorne); Kant bt Yorkshire 5-4; West of Scotiand bt Leicestershire 8-1; Somersel bt Buckinghamshire 6-3. Group Three (Ely); Beries bt Nottinghamshire 5-4; Henra bt Herstordshire and Worcestershire 6-3; East of Scotiand bt Herstordshire and Worcestershire 6-3; East of Scotiand bt Herstordshire 7-2; Barkshire bt Northarbs 6-3; North Wales to Cheshire 6-3; Northambertand bt Uncolnshire 7-2; Gloucestershire by Durham send Cleveland 7-2; Avon bt South Wales 5-4. Group Fee (South Good Fee); South of Scotiand by Carnell 5-4; Bedfordshire by Nottingshire 5-4. Group Sevent (Cambridges Devon to Stropshire 9-9; Suffolt bt Chasmel isles 6-1. Cambridgeshire bt North of Scotiand 6-3. WOMEN: Group Group Gestion fire 5-4; Surey bt Middlesex 8-5; Northix Langashire 5-4; Surey bt Middlesex 8-5; Northix Langashire 5-4; Surey bt Middlesex 8-6; Sussex bt Cambridgeshire 6-3; Paus Four (Executif); Avon bt Derbyshire 7-2; Earlanhire 5-4; Suriox 5-4; West of Scotiand bt South Wales 9-0; Leicestrahire to North of Scotiand 9-0; throup Str (Poole);

SHOOTING

Jersey take

cups for

first time

By Our Rifle Shooting

Correspondent

Jersey won the Rajah of Kolapore

Challenge Cups in the major international short-range match at Bisley yesterday, for the first time

since the trophies were first awarded in 1871.

Good performances by Pat Ryan

and David le Cheminant, both with 147, backed by a good team average, gave Jersey 1,153 points out of 1,200, four more than Britain and

six better than Canada.

The House of Lord's retained the

beating the Commons by 14 points, Flight Lieutenant Chris Fitzpa-trick won the silver medal for top

score in the second stage of the Queen's Prize competition, when the top 100 were selected for today's

final.
He scored 149 out of 150, but

scores generally were lower than they have been in recent years. Everybody with 143 and above reached the final

Maharaiah of Vizia

# On with the show that should run and run

Will there be another Olympic Games after Los Angeles? There are those who believe that these twentythird Olympics, opening today in front of President Reagan, will prove to have been so bedevilled by political boycott, excessive finance, shameless nationalism, acknowledged professionalism, rampant and undetected drug-taking, security against terror-ism, immovable traffic and insuffer-able smog that future Games will be in jeopardy. They will be proved wrong I hope spectacularly so. Of course, most of those obstacles will not go away. Yet the strength of the Olympic movement is the fact

the Olympic movement is the fact that it will survive them all into the next century, always providing the absence of major world disasters. It will survive because of the 7,000 competitors who just want to be there, almost anonymously, rather than because of the few hundred who will win medals, even though it is they who create the image of immortal

glory.
Significantly, an unprecedented number of people have lined city streets and country roads across the breadth of America to catch a glimpse of the controversial but emotive and symbolic torch relay.

A television audience of 2.5billion

will watch a record 140 nations march into the Coliscum. Peter Ueberroth, the Californian businessman who has master-minded a privately organized and financed event unique in Olympic history, rightly says:

The focus is now where it belongs

on the athletes. The superpowers have learnt that boycotts achieve nothing except hurting the [absent] athletes". He, and the IOC president. Juan Samaranch, can take satisfaction in staging a record Games on five per

What amazed her colleagues on the British Amateur Athletic Board

(BAAB) was not so much the "revelations", which have led to at

least one athlete mentioned con-sidering legal action, as that Miss

Hartman should be induced to make them at this stage of her

Many Peters, Pam Pierry and Nick Whitehead will be leaving British team management after these Olympics has saddened the athletes. Miss Peters, the 1972 Olympic reputables cold madel vices and

of David Shaw, the first professional

Their accessibility and recog-

All times in BST

BASKETBALL: 5 pm, men's preliminary matches (Group A: Italy v Egypt, Yugoslavis v West Germany, Australia v Brazil; Group B: Uruguey v France, United States v Chins, Spain v Canada). BOXING: 7 pm, preliminary bouts. CYCLING: 5.30 pm, women's 70km road race; 9 pm, men's 190km road race. EQUESTRIANISM: 3 pm, three-day event, drassage.

excues inflaments of pm, unree-day event, dressage. FOOTBALL: MEDNIGHT, preliminary matches (Group A: Norway v Chile. Group B: United States v Costa Rics. Group C: France v Qatar. Group D: Italy

v Egypt). GYMMASTICS: 5.30 pm, men's team

ecretary of the BAAB.

If Miss Hartman's actions have shocked officials, then the news that

her position at risk

her ex-international colleagues were his poor performance in Oslo last appointed in 1979 along with Lynn weekend was due to a lack of racing Davies, the 1964 Olympic long at 800 metres, his Olympic distance,

Details of today's events

Marea Hartman, honorary sec-retary of the Women's AAA, may be asked to resign after her revelations

The quartet was, he

a staff of 72,000.

The fact that Seonl, in South Korea. is at this moment ready for the next Games, and that countries are queueing to be hosts in 1992, 1996, and 2000 suggest that the prophets of doom, as in religion, may have jumped the gnn. David Wolper's opening ceremony, with a Hollywoodstyle extravaganza of dancing and music, including 84 grand pianos on wheels and 750 youngsters in the All American Olympic Marching Band -in contrast to Moscow's memorable militarily-precise gymnastics will be the prelude to a Games expected to produce historic achieve-

Beefed-up vigilance The over-riding fear must be that a psychopath, such as recently slaugh-tered innocents in San Diego, will blight the show, but security currently makes this the best protected city on earth. Overt terrorism would seem impossible, though Ueberoth admits: "Many thousands of dollars per athlete have been spent, we've given every dime the security organisations wanted, but the threat will not be distanced in our lifetime.

cuts even without the Soviet bloc.

Seven thousand men from forty agencies, almost one man per competitor, working three overlap-ping twelve hour shifts, are guarding the villages, the competition sites, and the streets. The FBI has doubled its Californian investigators to eight hundred; Reagan and heads of state will be protected by six hundred guards, and computors will trace any suspect's background in eighteen seconds. Some 1,800 drugs, vice and crime arrests have been made in three

ment and state are shouldering hidden costs to the taxpayer, and claims that they will make a new profit on taxes of £170m and £60m respectively. The Post Office alone has taken £68m on Olympic stamps, many unused, and millions have been spent

in sponsored improvement of perma-nent sporting facilities, only slightly marred by the workman, absent mindedly engaged in conversation, who has lowered a massive score-board straight through the forum floor at the basketball site. Repairers are Smog and traffic remain imponder-

able; the police are sweating in every sense. This week's refreshing winds have stilled: Thursday's pollution count at the Coliseum was 83 on a scale in which 100 is good and 300 means reach for the masks and postpone the marathon. Conditions are expected to deteriorate today with temperatures rising over 90, and much depends on spectator traffic density. Eighty per cent of firms have co-operated by reducing working hours, two hundred thousand reservatious have already been made for part-n'-ride bus shuttles to the Coliseum; vicinity parking exploitation, up to £270 a day for a normal £1.50 plot, should deter all be the Beverley Hills ciné set.

So what, finally, of the sport. That remains partially clouded by drugs, in spite of the new UCLA testing laboratory passed 100 per cent efficient by the IOC. The US Olympic Committee, startled by the Pan American Games scandals, belatedly has introduced random American testing, but Dr Robert Kerr, one of those said to advise competitors on drug use, is quoted yesterday as claiming that "athletes laugh about it.

influenced by it." Sports Illustrated magazine has revealed that Dr Paul Ward, a co-ordinator of the USOC athletic throwing events, had known links with Kerr, who says of the expensive human growth hormone drug STH: "This is the clite drup. The really elite athletes are taking STH. Carl Lewis, who is expected to rise

into an everlasting pink cloud of Disneyland fortune when he wins his four gold medals – and will be labelled a failure, by envious critics if he does not - took a random test to dispel rumours of drug-taking. He has also emphatically denied being homosexual. The most dramatic event of the entire Games would be not so much his emulation of Jessie Owen's feat in Berlin with four golds, as surpassing Bob Beamon's Mexico long-jump record, which still stands at 8.90 metres.

Sprinter without match

No-one on form can match Lewis in the two sprints: Allan Wells will do well to reach the final, and we shall Don Quarrie, who has sprinted across three decades and currently ranks seventh in the 100 metres. We shall watch in awe as Ed Moses and Zhu Jianhua defend their world records in hurdles and high jump, and millions will hold their breath as they await Sebastian Coe's attempt to cast off the illness of two years and the failure of three championships in the 800 metres. Earl Jones, fastest of the year, is two seconds outside Coe's world record.

It could be an Olympics outstanding for its interest in women. The confrontation between Mary Decker and Zola Budd, possibly challenged by Mariciaca Puica, of Romania,

shoud be riveting, and Joan Benoit, of the United States, must defend her marathon reputation against Grete Waitz and Ingrid Kristiansen, both of Norway. Shirley Strong, of Britain, could win a rare hurdles medal in the absence of the eastern Europeans.

ore After 30 years campaigning by Eileen Gray, of Britain, the women will have their cycling road race for will have their cycling road race for the first time tomorrow – one more step of emancipation. There is the romantic touch of Paul Elvestrom, four times consecutively gold medal-list in sailing, competing with his daughter, for Denmark, in the Tomado class, where Robert White, of Britain, will battle for the title won by his father. Reg. in 1976. by his father, Reg. in 1976.

Britain are looking to three women

- Lucinda Green, Virginia Holgate
and Diana Clapham - to bring them

triumph in the hazardous thre event, while June Croft may take an early gold in swimming. Ecaterina Szabo hopes to continue for Romania where Nadia Comaneci left off in gymnastics, but the men are not without their superstars in those sports away from track and field. Mark Breland, from Brooklyn, is a welterweight with a record which surpasses the greatest amateurs of all time, including such as Papp, Clay and Leonard: he has lost only once in 105 contests and the absence of the Soviet Union and allies, who took 37 out of 44 medals in Moscow, should

hardly be of assistance to this exceptional performer. In diving, Tan Liangde, of China, will challenge the unchallengeable Greg Louganis, of the United States, and so will Christopher Snode.

> David Miller Chief Sports Correspondent

# About turn scuttles Silvestri

Long Beach, California (Reuter) The US Olympic committee changed its mind for the sixth time
yesterday in a dispute over who
represents America in the Finn chass. A three-man arbitration panel reinstated John Bertrand in place of Russ Silvestri just five days before

The decision needs approval from the International Olympic Com-mittee (IOC). This is considered a

mittee (IOC). This is considered a formality but there is a chance Silvestri will seek court action to overturn the latest ruling.

There could also be a protest by others in the Finn class because Bertrand's inclusion came after the July 15 deadline for team selection. Silvestri won the US trials, but was strianged of victory effor Restrand. stripped of victory after Bertrand protested that his rival had unfairly

said he believed the IOC would ratify the fatest decision. "My information is the IOC must rule on information is the IQC must rule on it, and I've every reason to think they will back the decision." Metrick could not rule out further developments. "In this country anyone has the right to go to court to seek redress", he said.

Belief team beden Mile France.

British team leader Mike Evans said that a protest by other Finn sailors was virtually certain, "All is fair in love, war, and yacht racing",

#### Trial 10,000m for women

Los Angeles (Agencies) - The International Olympic Committee decided yesterday to incinde a women's 10,000 metres event in the programme for the 1988 Olympics in Seoul on a trial basis. Three other events have been edded to future events have been added to future Olympic Games permanently: a women's sprint track event in

# Miss Hartman puts retary of the Women's AAA, may be asked to resign after her revelations about the sport in a national newspaper. Miss Hartman, awarded an OBE five years ago for her services to athletics, caused "acute embarrassment", in the words of one of her administrative colleagues, with her article in last Sunday's News, "the over Whitehead's job as head of British team management, the tomorrow. The final complement of athletes, including Steve Cram, will arrive in the next few days. Then everyone will get the opportunity of some final pre-Olympic competition at a meeting here on Monday, arranged by Frank Dick, the director of British coaching, who has invited American athletes and members of the Franch and Italian teamer who women's sprint track event in cycling, a women's 470-class dingly event in yachting, and either a men's lightweight double scalls, or a coxless four in rowing. Massing for battle. A barrage of balloons will precede the entry of the gladiators in the Los Angeles Coliseum. The Olympic "balloonists" prepare for today's ascent.

Angeles Coliseum. The Olympic "halloonists" prepare for today's ascent.

# Salnikov's absence reduces sheen of glittering occasion

beneath the mountains

closer contact with the athletes, will

remain in ascendence. Davies has yet to decide whether he will stay

the French and Italian teams, who

are also staying nearby.
Peter Elliotz, who considers that

will be the principal interest and it is hoped that Steve Scott of the United States, one of the 1,500 metres

MODERN PENTATRILON: 5 pm, riding.
SHOOTING: 5 pm, man's free pistol,
women's sport pistol, clay target - trap.
SWIMMING: 4.30 pm, women's 100
matres breastyle heats and final; men's
100 metres breaststroke heats and final;
women's 400 metres individual medley
heats and final; men's 200 metres
freestyle heats and final.

WOLLEYBALL: 6 pm, men's prefirmary matches (Group A: South Korea v Tunisia: United States v Argentina. Group B: China v Japan; Canada v Italy). WEIGHTLIFTING: 10 pm, flyweight (52kg).

Mrs Green set to cap career

Hopes are high as the British three-day-event team set out tomorrow to recapture the gold medal they last won in Munich in 1972. Despite the pressure of competing in the unactistomed heat of southern California, the British teat at four five pressure the event. start as firm favourites for the event. in which 11 teams compete. With the exception of the cross-country, the competition takes place at Santa Anita racecourse, set at the foot of the San Gabriel mountains, some 18 niles east of the main Olympic Two days of dressage are followed

by the cross-country on Wednesday and the show jumping on Friday. Tuesday and Thursday are rest days, to allow the horses and riders time to travel the 120 miles to and. from Fairbanks Ranch, near San The British are favourites because

of their record of winning two European championships and one-world championship over the last five years. Although the final team of four will not be announced until after this morning's veterinary inspection, Lucinda Green, with the 13-year-old Regal Realm, and Virginia Holgate, with Priceless— both members of the team which won the gold at the 1982 world championships - are certain to form

Mrs Green has the additinal burden of starting as favourite to win the individual title - and a gold win the individual title and a good medal would be the crowning glory to her career, which has already embraced six Badminton wins, two European individual titles and the current world championship title. Robert Lemieux and Ian Stark are likely to complete the final four at the expense of Diana Clapham, whose Windjammer is one of the most consistent horses but whose mediocre dressage prevents him from a high individual placing. It will be crucial for Britain to get ahead in tomorrow's dressage. thead in tomorrow's dressing, because the cross-country is not particularly big. Britain traditionally

responded well to the heat. After the 30-hour journey to Los Angeles, were rested for two days and then. worked early in the morning – although even at 9.15 am the temperature in the practice arenas reached 98° F. Mrs Green has the least to worry about on that score, as Regal Realm started life as an Australian stock horse and is well used to the blazing heat.

One of the reasons Fairbanks Ranch was chosen for the speed and

endurance test was because it does not have the humidity and smog of Los Angeles. Nevertheless, the expected high temperatures, together with the limited acreage there, have per-suaded the organizers to keep each phase to the minimum distance allowed under the rules. The road,

track and steeplechase phases will be run over a natural surface of sandy clay alluvial deposits from the San Diequito river. The crosscountry phase is run over the grass unf of the 140-acre golf course. Despite three fences being on the fairway, the organizers intend to resume golf within a week of the competition. The United States and Australia

The United States and Australia present the biggest threat to Britain. The Americans are led by Mike Piumb, a veteran of five Olympics, while the Australians, for whom it has become de rigent to include a member of the Roycroft family, are led by 38-year-old Wayne Roycroft, whose wife, Vicki, is also in the team.

The Swedes, who relegated Britain to second place in last year's European championships — in temperatures high in the 90s — cannot be discounted, despite the loss of their top borse, Ultimus, in a tragic accident last year. The West Germans, who, with the exception of Horst Karsten, are fielding a very young side, may well suring a young side, may well spring a surprise.

Bruce Davidson, the only rider to win the world championships twice. riccarry big. British traditionally

He will be a serious rival to Mrs
rive on big courses.

Green for the individual title, as will

Miss Holgste. If the cross-country

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does ride easily it will be a particular disadvantage to Mrs Green, whose Regal Realm usually makes up for his dressage with an outstanding cross-country.

Unlike the other two equestrian

Unlike the other two equestrian disciplines, the team show jumping on August 7, comested by 16 countries, is wide open, with at least six countries, including Britain, strong contenders for the gold. Britain's final four will not be decided until after the training competition on August 4, but it is unlikely that either of the two Whitaker brothers or Tim Grubb will be dropped. David Bowen or Stephen Smith will complete the team.

Stephen Smith will complete the team.

The host nation is particularly powerful, with a side that includes two former world cnp winners in Melanie Smith, with Calypso, and Conrad Homfeld, with Touch of Class. Canada, France and West Germany are all fielding experienced teams, while Switzerland, who have developed a habit of winning when it matters most, have winning when it matters most, have a team which includes three of the riders who helped win the European

In the individual competition, which takes place on Sunday, August 12, just before the closing ceremony, Bert de Nemethy's "rider's course" will favour John Whitaker and the 16-year-old Ryan's Son, who have warted eight years for their chance they were dropped from the team in 1976 and then missed Moscow

The course will also suit West Germany's Paul Schockenhohle, the European gold medallist, whose ambition is to emulate his older brother, Alwin, who won the gold medal in the 1976 Olymics.

oss of their top horse, Ultimus, in a ragic accident last year. The West Germans, who, with the exception of Horst Karsten, are fielding a very young side, may well spring a arrorise.

The American side includes the world championships twice. If will be a serious rival to Mrs they are set to win their sixth gold in the team commettion. Which takes the team competition, which takes place on August 8 and 9.

Although the women's events have been scriously devalued by the withdrawal of the Soviet block, the effect on the men's competition has been much less dramatic; in fact, all but one of the current world record-holders is here to stake his claim for an Olympic gold medal.

The absence of that one competitor, Vladimir Salnikov, of

the Soviet Union, has reduced the sheen of what will still be a brilliant occasion. The 22-year-old student of hysical education from Leningrad physical education from Learnigrad has dominated the 400 and 1,500 metres freestyle events for the past seven years, setting numerous world records for both distances on the way to a speciacular series of successes – four world the speciacular the series of successes – four world championship and two Olympic victories. He still has no serious

challenger.
The gold medals he would have won here will be snapped up with the snapped in carbon or Mike O'Brien, of the United States whose team should go on to win a further five individual golds and probably all three team races as well. The remaining five individual events should go to two Canadians and a West German in what should be the most even spread of medals for some years.

The Americans will have all their own way in the one hundred metres freestyle, an event they have won more times than any other nation.
Their two fastest men, Mike Heath
and Rowdy Gains, head the world
rankings, which show four other
Americans ahead of the test of the Competitors here.
Only the Moscow gold medal

winner, Jorg Worthe, the East German, could have given them a race, as he did when winning the world championship two years ago, but now the title should go to the world record holder. Gaines, whose long-standing consistency at top level could win him the gold medal which has tempted him out of The 200 metres freestyle on

tomorrow's opening programme will provide an early test for Michael Gross, who could well

swimmer at these Games. The oft Thin tall West German, whose spindly physique has earned him the soubriquet "The Stork", recently broke his own world records for this event and 200 metres. butterfly, and it also ranked second in the 100 metres butterfly. He is confidently expected to win

both 200 metres events, probably in world record times, but he could well find the rising American star, Pablo Morales, too hot for him in the butterfly sprint, which the Americans have never lost at the



Moorhouse: reasonable

. hope. Rick Carey, a 21-year-old New Yorker, looks invincible over the 100 and 200 metres backstroke, having surpassed over the past year the longest surviving world records set by his compatriot, John Naber, at the Montreal Games. at the Montreal Games.

No one would wish to question his hard won right to a double success here, although one of the niggling disappointments of the boycott is the fact that the young East Garman, Dirk Richter, has this year come within hoths of Carey's Otympic trial time over the 100 metres.

George Hodgson, won Canada's only two Olympic swimming gold medals. Alex Baumann looks certain to emulate his achievement by winning the 200 and 400 metres individual medley events. He holds both world records and is four seconds ahead of his nearest rivals in the longer events. in the longer events, so that his expected victory should be convinc-

g. Canadian elation will be in no way diminished by the fact that he was born in Czechoslovakia and still speaks his native language in the family home in Ontario.

family home in Ontario.

There could well be a third and possibly even a fourth gold medal for Canada in the breaststroke events in which Victor Davis, the world champion and record-holder over 200 metres, is back on his best form after a serious littless less test are. over 200 metres, is tack on his best, form after a serious illness last year. He is perhaps the most aggressive performer in world swimming, as befus the grandson of a former Olympic boxing coach, and this fighting spirit should ensure a knockout victory in the longer event.

In the sprint, however, he is merely a contender to John Moffet, who won the American trial in a world record of one minute 02.13 sec, with Steve Lundquist only 3/100ths behind.

reasonable hope of a medal, is also in this event, but his recent form has in this event, but his recent form has been somewhat variable owing to an extra-heavy workload targeted exclusively for Los Angeles. He is undoubtedly a big-event competitor, as his Commonwealth and European gold medals prove.

If his current strategy has worked, he could well have found the second peaded to take him under twin 12. needed to take him under 1 min 02 sec for the 100 metres,

Opening ceremony

The Olympic Games' opening ceremony will take place at 2.30cm tomorrow moraling, BST. Television coverage is on BBC1 between 12.20cm and 3.45cm. Olympic Grandstand is on BBC1 between 10.45pm and 2.30cm tomorrow evening.

# **YACHTING**

# Leaders stay course

By John Nicholls

James Hartley and Ian Tillett, promising young sailors from Itchenor, Sussex, won a rugged fiant race of the international 14-foot dinghy class week at Typernouth yesterday. They led all the way round the course in a blustery westerly breeze that eliminated half

of the original 43 starters.

By finishing fourth in the race,
Will Henderson and Bruce Grant
made sure of winning the points trophy that they led in from the second day. This was their equal At one stage yesterday it looked as if Henderson's points lead might be cut back, because both Roger Yeoman and the Kidd brothers from Canada, his closest con-tenders, were ahead. Yeoman was placed second to Hartley until the

last round, and then lost a place to Jeremy Sibthorp. Meanwhile, both Henderson and the Kidds capsized during a particularly vicious squall on the third round. But whereas the Kidds retired from the fray, Henderson retired from the fray, Henderson and Grant quickly righted their boat, only losing three places during the process. With the Kidds eliminated, they were sure to win the points trophy, even if they too retired, but they persevered and eventually won back the places they had lest.

reached the final RESILTS: Kolspore Challenge Cops: 1, Jersey 1, 159 pts; 2, Britain 1,149. Under-25 international: 1, Britain 579. Chercellor's Trophy: 1, Cumbridge University 1,519. Masscaisers Cup: 1, St. Andrews University 588. County Long Range Championable (after high: 1, Buckinghamshire 288. Junior Kolspore: 1, Zimbabwe 558. Universities Mational: 1, England 501; 2, Southard 750, With Clubs Cup: 1, Old Epsomian B 410. Amazons Trophy: 1, Col and Mrs. Orper-Smelle, 205. Anatoy Trophy (cadets): 1, Grashams School 494. Overseas Day (basins of 12; 1, Jarsey 120); 2, Canada 1167. Junior Overseas (boy): 1, Guernsey 401. Allconses Hac lost.

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### FOR THE RECORD

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WASHMASTONE Grand Prix Tournament: Second Round: F Lura (Ap) bt T Alan (Aus), 6-2, 6-2. Third round: D Golde (US) bt B Gotthiad (US) 5-5, 6-4; A Gorraz (Es) bt J Soarse (B) 7-6, 6-7; P Arrays (Pen) bt H Sundstrom (Swe), 6-2, 4-6, 6-2; P Stodi (Cs) bt Cottos (Yug), 7-5, 6-6; E Adems (US) bt F Gotzalez (Pa), 6-3, 6-5; P Interior (US), 1-6, 6-2, 7-6; C H Luconte (Pi) bt E Taltacher (US), 1-6, 6-2, 7-6; 4 H Luconte (Pi) bt M Jatle (Arg), 6-3, 6-4; C Dowdeswell (ES)) bt 9 F8, Austrial, 6-4; 6-4. HLVERSUM: Dutch Open Championships: Third round? Stories (Finale: T Smid (Cs) bt K Cortson (Swe), 4-6, 6-4, 6-1; B Boldens (Be) bt J Smith (US), 6-4, 6-4, 6-1; B Boldens (Be) bt J Smith (US), 6-4, 6-4, 6-1; B Boldens (Be) bt J Smith (US), 6-4, 6-4, 6-1; B Boldens (Be) bt J Smith (US), 6-4, 6-4, 6-1; B Boldens (Be) bt J Smith (US), 6-4, 6-4; C Houser's Stories, First rotund: 1 Sconmerus Chambion (B) bt A Pensk (Austria) 6-3, 6-4; M Prixerova (Pun) 6-3, 6-4; C Andersson (Swe) bt M Prixerova (Pun) 6-3, 6-4.

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BASEBALL
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Chicago White Sox 0. Postponed: Cleveland
Indians v Detroit Tigers (rain).
NATIONAL LEAGUE: Sen Disgo Pedres 8,
Chichnati Radis 2: Montreal Expos 5,
Pittsburgh Piratins 4; Atlents Braves 5, Los
Angeles Dodgers 1; Sen Pransisco Gients 3,
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P Conley (US), 68, 67: 72: K Ehrstand (Swer,
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Going down a treat

Ben Crenshaw's hole-in-one during his final round in the Open Championship at St Andrews, has earned him £1,000 and a three-litre bottle of whisky. Crenshaw, the US Masters champion, used a five from to reach the 178-yard eighth hole, on the Old Course.

# Greenidge has England doubled up

By John Woodcock, Cricket Correspondent

Old Trafford: West Indies in minded facing Allott and their first innings were all out Botham for 500. This was a hopeless day, as

abortive as the first had been entertaining. In odd snatches, adding up to just over four hours play, West Indies took their first innings score, in the Fourth Test match sponsored by Cornhill, from 273 for 5 to 500 all out

When the players were not on the field one felt they should have been, and when they were nothing much was happening. Davis, the West Indian night watchman, made 74 with laughable ease, and Greenidge's 223 was the fifth highest score by a West Indian against

Very few batsmen have made two double hundreds in the same series as Greenidge has in this one. Vivian Richards was the last to do it, when the West Indies were here in 1976. Bradman did it four times, three of them against England. In 1930 he made 254 at Lord's, 34 at Leeds and 232 at The Oval Hammond did it twice, Glenn Turner and Vinco Mankad once each. One might have expected it of Greenidge, who is a player of golden spells. In 1976 he scored three hundreds in a row against England, two of them at Old

As if to emphasise his determination, he took 40 more balls to score his second hundred than he had his first. He plays very straight, partly, no doubt, from having learnt the game on English pitches. It third man. He had batted for is a pity more English batsmen 594 minutes, faced 427 balls do not do the same. Greenidge is also immensely strong. He played two strokes in his innings, a cover drive off Botham and a book off Cowans,

which frustrated the eyesight.
Until yesterday Davis had a top score in first class cricket of in the local derby between the Windward and the Leeward Islands - and an overall average of 15. Yet he played the bowling with the proverbial stick of rhubarb and England's cricket as they sought to dislodge him was very weak. But at least Pocock had a good day. In 24.4 overs he took 4-54. The other four bowlers between them took

morning was grey enough for fifty minutes to be lost to "bad light". England's attack is of such a mild pace that I was surprised the West position, decided not to bat on. They did the same forty minutes later, when they were heckled again. It was the sort of light in which no one would much have wanted to have faced Marshall or should have

SECOND XI CHAMPIONSHIP LEICESTER: Leicestershire 184 and 153 for 3 (P Whitticase 66); Serbyshire 407 (I S Anderson 105. A M Brown 59. J P Addison 5 for 133).

Andy Stovold of Gloucestershire made his second century of the season to deny Leicestershire a win at Bristol which would have taken

them into second place in the championship. He hit 19 fours, stayed 280 minutes and was unbeaten on 139 as Gloucestershire teached 246 for six to earn a draw.

Stovold gave only one chance, being dropped behind wicket by Garnham off Willey on 125. Leteestershire, looking for their seventh win, had set Gloucesterships.

thire a target of 322 at a rate of three

An opening stand of 123 by Stovold and Romaines, raised home hopes of an unlikely win but Leicesterhire's acting captain. Peter Willey, took four wickets after tea for 21 runs, and finished with four

Derbyshire v

Lancashire

ASHIRE: First innings 211 (J Sim Wiler 6 for 64, R J Finney 4 for 67)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-4, 2-14, 3-28, 4-113, 5-178, 6-190, 7-219, 8-288, 9-230, 10-231.

G Miller, J.E. Morrie, B. Roberts, D.G. Moir, R.J. Finney and tR.W. Taylor did not bet.

BOWLING: Radiord 5-2-28-1; Watkinson 7-0-36-0; Semmons 7-2-30-0; Folloy 8.5-2-33-2.

Warwicks v Hampshire

WARWICKSHIRE (23pts) best Hampshire (7) by 125 runs

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-18, 2-120, 3-120.

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Umpires: J H Harris and A Jep.

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S J O'Shaughnessy c sub b Roberts.

H I Patromber C Taylor b Miles.

D P Hughes C sub b Moor.

As with Willis, when he was captain, Gower seemed ob-sessed with the idea that Botham, if he was kept on for long enough, would make a break. If that is understandable, when a man has taken as many Test wickets as Botham, to see him bowling to a nightwatchman with two men on the square leg boundary was lamen-table. By lunch West Indies were 342 for 5, the 17 overs of the morning having brought 69 runs, 49 of them to Davis.

At 408 Greenidge passed 200. When he was 210 he reached 1,000 first-class runs for the season in only his 14th innings. Turner, the last batsman to score 1,000 runs in May took 18 innings in which to do it. In 1938 Edrich took 15 as did Hammond in 1927. In 1938 Bradman took nine.

Greenidge and Davis had added 170 for the sixth wicket when Davis, pushing forward, was bowled by Pocock, Baptiste also fell to Pocock who had bowled his first 13 overs of the day, from the Stretford end, for 17 runs. These two wickets, and Greenidge's later on, he took from the Warwick Road end. Between the fall of the second of them, soon after half past three, and six o'clock there was only a quarter of an hour's cricket.

But enough play had been lost for an extra hour to be added. Greenidge ground remorselessly on until, at 470, he was caught at the wicket, trying to run Pocock down to

## Old Trafford scoreboard



ENGLAND: G Fowler, B C Broad, V P Terry, "D I Gower, A J Lands, I T Botham, 19 R Downton, N G B Cook, P J W Allott, P I Pocock and N G Unsolves: H D Bird and D O Osleer.

Women's international match CANTERBURY: England 214 for 7 dec (J Bright 63): New Zealand 76 for 1.

NORBURY: Lancashire 211 (K A Hayes 77, D J Makinson 50. N S Taylor 4 for 43); Surrey

Oval best

Stovold hits a timely century

Lancashire's hope of making a

match-saving total.

Lancashire slumped from their overnight score of 188 for five to 231 all out, with Abrahams providing the only real resistance with an unbeaten 37. Miller claimed three for 46 with his off-spin as Lancashire lost their last five men for 43 the lest four for 12

Yesterday's other scoreboards

A I Kathcharten, C Lantonidge, C M Old, G C Smell and "N Gifford did not bet. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-28, 2-68, 3-185, 4-

BOWLING: Reifer 8-1-38-1; Conner 12-4-40-0; Tremist: 9-2-16-1; Jesty 6-1-15-0; Maru 12-1-51-0; Smith 9-0-81-2.

HAMPSHIRE: First innings 398 for 7 dec (D R Turner 153, J J E Hardy 85, N G Cowley 58).

BOWLING: Small 14.5-6-35-4; Wall 6-1-21-0; Ferreira 11-2-32-2; Old 16-5-59-2; Gifford 13-8-24-2.

Gloucs v Leicestershire

Second Innings

N E Briers, J P Agnew and I Carmichael did not

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-7, 2-80, 9-40, 4-141,

BOWLING: Lawrence 11-2-48-1; Shepherd 25-2-68-2; Gravenay 10-5-21-0; Sainsbury 18-5-45-1; Bainbridge 9-3-28-1.

Second Innings

GLOUCESTERSHIRE: First Innings 200.

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1 P Butcher b Lawrence...

Second things

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BOWLING: Finney 18-4-55-5; Roberts 8-2-20-1: Miller 27-5-10-46-9; Morr 21-6-90-1; HB 4-0-15-0; Barnett 1-1-0-0

match-saving total

match of his career. He took four for
57 in Lancashire's first innings,
made top score of 78 in Derbyshire's looking good at 85 for on
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a reply and claimed five for 55 with
his left-arm seam bowling to ruin
Lancashire's hope of making a

Gladstone Small, with four for 35, and 10 fours in 121 minutes.

Zaheer Abbas b Wiley
P Bambridge c And b Wiley
A J Wright I-b-w b Wiley
J N Shepherd b Wiley
'D A Greveney not out.
Entres (b 5, I-b 5,-w 4, n-b 1) ...

Northants v Middlesex

BOWLING: Hughes 7-0-28-1; Williams 13-4-41-2; Explurity 15-2-27-2; Edmonds 25-10-42-4; Daniel 9.2-0-32-1; Getting 1-0-1-0.

MUDDLESEX: First Immings 324 (M W Gattl 146, C T Radley 58, J E Emburny 54; R Williams 4 for 63).

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-25, 2-168, 3-174,

BOWLING: Hardey 9-2-20-0; Mallender 10-2-32-1; Williams 15-1-74-2; State 10-1-50-0; Griffitts 3-0-19-0; Cook 0.1-0-4-0.

Total (3 wids)...

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W Larkins o Hughes b Williams
R J Boyd-Mess b Embursy
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l Cepel c Emburey b Ed 3 Williams at Metson b I



# Tail-enders show their grit to defy Clarke and earn a draw

THE OVAL: Surrey (7 pts) drew

A valiant partnership between Underwood and Alderman, relying on guts as much as technique, which spanned 18 overs and defied some extremely hostile bowling by Clarke, ensured Kent staved off defeat in a

thrilling finish.

When the tail-enders came together, Clarke had dismissed Knott and Penn for a pair, with only the injured Taylor and Jarvis, not the best No 11 to come in, a Surrey win seemed a formality. It was regrettable, thereafter, that Clarke, who on this evidence is quicker than anyone around, should mar his performance with an attitude which contravened the spirit of the finale.

Kent declared their first innings Oval best

Nore than £200,000 worth of ory bowling at Underwood and

from 56 balls. Others played shots which suggested a declaration could The declaration was, in fact, a fair

one. Kent were required to score 247 off 55 overs, a feasible task if they could cope with some irregular bounce at both ends. Benson began as if he would, but fell to the dreaded Clarke. Taylor, in a different way, had already gone,

Tavaré went to a sharp catch at coverpoint by Monkhouse, who also had success with the ball. He has Aslett taken at slip off a rash cut, and Cowdrey caught off bas and pad. He was benefiting, like the other Surrey bowlers, from having Clarke at the other end.

SURREY: First Innings 225 for 3 Monthouse 100 not out, G S Clinton 78 

rwood b Jarvis ...

y c Richards b Knicht

K B S Jarvis dki not bat. BOWLING: Clarks 15.4-1-50-3; Feitham 14 1-53-2; Monkhouse 9-3-23-1; Medlycol 3-1-5-1; Knight 11-5-21-2.

Second insings
NR Taylor retired hurt.
MR Benson c Stewart b Clarks
C J Taylor c Monkhouse b Feith
R Apier Asiett c Lynch b Mo

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-41, 2-74, 3-78, 4-81, 5-104, 6-104, 7-104,

# Miserable day for the Sri Lankans

Derbyshire scored their first championship victory of the season at Buxton with their all-rounder. Roger Finney, having the best match of his career. He took four for 57 in Lancashire's first innings, made top score of 78 in Derbyshire's reply and claimed five for 55 with his left-arm seam bowling to guing their last eight wickets for 91 on a nick of enteren hounce. CLEETHORPES: Nottinghamshire Seaside weather at its most wretched, together with tight county Small removed Nicholas for 16 in bowling and field settings, gave the Sri Lankans a full range of English cricket conditions yesterday. Their first match came to a premature end his opening spell and later combined with Ferreira, who finished with two for 32, to break for 24) and Old (two for 59) had dismissed the top scorers, Turner and Smith.

for 43, the last four for 12.

The 125-run win justified Gifford's controversial decision to declare at 227 for four when Amiss thoroughly unpleasant for the visitors first thing, as Nottingham-shire batted a further 80 minutes. Robinson, 51 overnight, completed his fourth century of the summer, and played some attractive strokes on both sides of the wicket. The Sri

on both sides of the wicket. The Sri Lankan seam bowlers had trouble with line and length, but D. S. De Silva again bowled his leg breaks and googlies with good control. The light was poor when the Sri Lankans started batting and bouts of drizzle hampered everyone after lunch. Wettimuny played an uncharacteristic slash against a short ball immediately after the interval, and was causht at extra cover. but one immediately after the interval, and was caught at extra cover, but did not bet.

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-122, 2-155, 3-160, 4184, 5-184, 6-219.

BOWLING: Agreev 15.3-1-54-1; Parsons 82-10-0; Welly 37-7-76-4; Carmichael 121-55-0; Cith 14-3-36-1.

Interval, and was caught at extra cover, but you Hagt and the left-handed Amail Silva stayed together for 23, overs. The 19-year-old von Hagt fought hard for an hour and three-quarters before he drove a catch to Randail's left hand at short mid-wicker. left hand at short mid-wicket.

Mendis, short and stocky, contributed the day's two most spectacular strokes as the rain became heavier. First, he straight drove Such for six, and then hit Pick for another with a short-armed blow mid-wicket. At tea the Sri Lankans with two hours left, were 203 runs short. The rain became even heavier, and only one more over

R T Robinson not out ...... D W Randall c de Alwis b De Mel ... P Johnson c Westimunty b Rab 18 N French c and b De Silva . "J D Birch c De Mei b Yusuf ... K Evans I-b-w b De Silva ... R A Pick not out... Ednas (I-b 1, n-b 5) ..... Total (6 wkts). nmings, K E Cooper and P M Such did FALL OF WICKETS: 1-18, 2-35, 3-70, 4-138, 5-177, 6-181.

BOWLING: De Mei 13-1-58-2; John 13-3-43-0; Ramayeko 9-1-32-1; De Siva 19-2-46-2; Yusuf 5-1-25-1. SRI LANKANS: First innings 199 (R G de Alwie 74; E E Hemmings 7 for 74) Second innings S Wetsimuny c Such b Pols. 10 M D von Hegt c Randall b Such 43 S A R Silve not out 25 L R D Mendis not out 26 Extras (b 6, Ho 7, n-b 4) 17

Second XI Championship
HARROW: Warwickshire 337 for 7 dec (W J P
Mettawa 90, I Stokes 53, C Horris 51 not out,
W Marton 52 not out) and 152 JJ S Sylvas 6 for
45; Michalesex 300 for 9 dec (K P Tomilins 100,
K R Brown 115) and 190 der 7 (W Morton 4 for
100, Michaesa won by 3 wicksex.
WORDESTER: Gloucestershire 182 and 513 (P
G P Rosbuck 80, M J Robinson 69, E J
Curningham 65, R M Elicock 4 for 60;
Wordessershire 516 (M J Weston 205 not out,
G A Hick 195, J H Childs 4 for 90), Words wan
by an innings and 21 nurs.
GORSEBNOR: Yarkshire 476 for 3 dec and 49
for no wist: Glamongan 176 and 345 (Yourts
103, S Macdock 73, I Smith 53), Yorkshire won
by 10 wicksts.

CRICKET THE CVAL: Surrey v Srl Landons (11.30 - 6.30)

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP (start 11.0)
CHELEFORD: Essex v Worcestarthire
SWANSEA: Glamorgan v Derbyshire
BRISTOL: Gloucestrains v Northamptonshire
LORD'S: Middless v Hampahire
THENT BRISGS: Notinglamehire v Lancachire
MOVE: Sussex v Someraet
SHEFFELD: Yorkshire v Lalcostshire
Women's international mattch
CANTERIER INV: Propend v New Zaufend

OTHER SPORT ATHLETICS: National veterans' track and field championships (Meadowbank Stadium, Edinburgh). GOLF: PGA Cup (Tumberry).

# R L Dies, D S De Silva, J R Retrisyeles, 1R G de Alwis, A L F de Mei, V B J John and M M Yusus' did not bar. Total (2 wkts)\_

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-20, 2-86. BOWLING: Cooper 6-1-13-0; Pick 11-1-34-1; Hearnings 10-5-13-0; Such 10-8-25-1; Evans 5-0-21-0. Umpires: P B Wickt and R Palmer.

#### **WEEKEND FIXTURES TOMORROW** CRICKET

Tour match

Tour match
The OVAL: Surrey v Sri Lentens (11.20-6.30)
JOHN PLAYER LEAGUE (2.0-6.40 or 7.0)
CHELMSPORD: Essex v Wordscharshire
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SRISTOL: Glacusstarature Northamptonshire
LORIDE Middlesex v Hampshire
TRENT BRIEDGE Notinghambline v Lancashire
HOVE: Sussex v Someriet
EDGRASTON: Warwickshire v Kent
BRADPORD: Yorkshire v Kent
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OTHER SPORT ATHLETICS: Net

COMMONWEALTH GAMES

# **Isolation threatens** after refusal to toe the hard line

From David Miller The English Council are being pushed increasingly into isolation among Commonwealth Games Association members despite their presence at the next Games being assured. England have paid for their reluctance to toe the dogmanic line on the 1982 code of conduct, on which they abstained from voting at the time in Brisbane.

Sir Arthur Gold and his colleagues are particularly dismayed at the apparent alignment of colleagues such as Scotland, Canada and New Zealand with the hard-line lead of Nigeria on the anti-spartheid issue; though not for a moment does England support apartheid. It is regrettable that New Zealand, with a change of government which is stay that way.

England had in fact faced an afternoon of prolonged criticism from black nations of Africa and the which they sent their letter of protest to the RFU, and Chief Abraham Ordia, the emotional Abraham Cross, the employed leader of the anti-aparthoid movement is black Africa, was crustic in his dismissal of the lack of disapproval is England's carefully worded, legally scrutinized letters to the RFU and the British govern-

"How can you talk to a dead oman" Ordia protested. "If woman" Ordin protested. "If England's letters had been genuine I could have belped them, but when I a change of government which is now unsympathetic to white South Africa, should show little sympathy at less saw their letters it made me laugh. England has to make the choice of their sporting friends: either it must be South Africa or black Africa."

Africa, should show little sympathy for England, whose clear-cut support for New Zealand before the 1982 games was instrumental in ensuring that New Zealand's participation, following a threat to the Australian High-Commissioner that England would withdraw if New Zealand were unfairly dismissed.

16 in participation of the England one of Since the association, while condemning England, accepted that legally the code had altimately been complied with, it would seem that an further action is likely on the 1984 rurner action is tikely on the 1984 righty tour. But righty will inevitably raise further problems between now and the Games in Edinbargh in 1986, and the English Council, who persistently claimed that they can have no moral jurisdiction over non-Commonwealth Cames counts. It is ironic that England, one of It is from: that Engana, one of the traditionally most racially intergrated sports communities in the non-black world, should now find itself pilloried over its alleged non-compliance with the code of conduct's prescribed complaints procedure regarding the Rugby Football Union tour of South Africa.

The association on Thursday Commonwealth Games sports, will continue to tread a difficult and The association on Thursday reprimanded England, but Sir Arthur Gold said that the accu-

pressed hard enough, they would voluntarily withdraw from the game, which would clearly be a financial blow to the Scots, who were themselves the first to harass England on the rugby issue and succeeded in raising the African horner's nest

not a playground for politicians. Sir Arthur said, "and we are concerned with Justice and democracy. The It was decided, by a clear vo that the 1990 Games should awarded to Auckland

**BOWLS** 

# English to the fore again in fours

pionship fours at Westburn Park, Aberdeen, yesterday. In the final, played in persistent rain, they beat New Zealand 18-17. England also won the fours at Worthing in 1972. England (George Turley, Julian Haines, John Bell, and Tony Allcock) led for 20 of the 21 ends.

but collected only two shots instead of the four he wanted.

Willie Wood (Scotland) should beat Peter Belliss (NZ) in today's

which illustrates their consistency. New Zealand (Rowan Brassey, Jim Scott, Morgan Moffat and Phil Skoglund) were pinned down to FALL OF WICKETS: 1-14, 2-25, 3-69. single shots for much of the game, and did well to come as close as they did to the gold medal. England led 17-10 after 17 ends.

New Zealand pulled back a four. The last end, with England 18-15 up, was as tense as could be. Skoglund drove with his last bowl

# Somerset give up the chase

Moxon can

move out

of shadows

with century

By Peter Ball

SCARBOROUGH: Yorkshire (2pts)

drew with Worcestershire (7).

After two days of supremac
Worcestershire's expectations of Worcestershire's expectations of a convincing victory were dashed yesterday – first, by an unbroken fourth wicket stand of 152 between

foxon and Robinson and then by

rain, which was light at first but persistent enough to prevent the return from much. Play was

minds as they expressed their dissatisfaction by yelling at the umpires, the performance of Mozon may cast longer shadows in the

greater scheme of English cricket

championship points or even satisfying the paying public, Having arrived at the wicket on a pair in his

first championship match since a rib injury forced him to miss his Test debut a month ago, Moxon batted with almost total authority for 238

perilously close to short leg, it was a highly impressive one in any circumstances. In Yorkshire's situ-

ation, with their backs to the wall on a wicket offering some encourage-ment to bowlers, it was a stunning one and Neale's decision to decline

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the umpires' invitation to restart on
time after lunch, when Yorkshire
were still only seven ahead,
suggested that he had already
despaired of breaking the stand.

Moxon treated the loose ball with
severity, hitting 22 because as he

woxon treated the loose can win severity, hitting 22 boundaries as he drove on both sides of the wicket with classical grace and pulled Patel savagely when he dropped short to endanger the safety of the close fielders. Curtis retired after being struck for a second time.

Robinson who proved once

struck for a second time.

Robinson, who proved once again that he is a good man in a crisis, was a solid partner, restraining his natural attacking instincts but also judiciously selecting the right ball to hit. If anything his cover drive is even more pleasing than Moxon's, and it was frequently seen as he hit eight fours in his 55, his fourth 50 in seven matches since coming into the ream five weeks ago.

M D Mozon not out.
P Carrick e McEvoy b Inchmore ...
K Sharp b Kapil Dev
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S N Hartiley c Curtis b Patel .......
P E Robinson not out.

Problemen not out \_\_\_\_\_ Extras (b 2, Hb 6, w 4, n-b 3)

minutes for an undefeated 126. in in it was not quite a faultless innings, Inchmore troubling him outside his off-stump on occasions and a hurried shot off Patel going

oned at 4.30. If the weather reduced the stature of the earlier events in spectators'

TAUNTON: Somerset (7pts) drew

with Glamorean (7pts). Somerset declared in the mornhave to declare at some point, which they duly did, at a quarter to three after scoring 231 for one. The wicket to fall was that of Holmes, caught at the wicket. Jones, who had had to retire after a couple of painful knocks from Davis, returned when

So Somerset went in needing 277 to win in 52 overs. It was not impossible, because the pitch was playing rather better than anyone had expected, but it was hardly probable. Felton was soon caught at square leg, and although at tea, Roebuck and Popplewell were going quite nicely, the score was only 21 a long way to go.

At 38 Popplewell was exceptionally well caught from a firmly hit drive over the bowler's head. At 64, Crowe was stumped, running down the pitch at Steele. Roebuck had the pitch at Steele. Roebuck had been enjoying himself, for once less the anchor than the outboard motor, keeping the innings chugging cheerfully along. But once Crowe had gone, Somerset seemed to abandon hope. Roebuck was caught at the wicket at 78, after a brave and for him adventurous. 41 and, for him, adventurous 41.
Glamorgan gradually lost interest too, and the game ended - 7 points each - at 6.10. GLANCHQAN: First Invings 309 for 7 dec (A L Jones 100, Javed Miandad 83).

Second Innings
J A Hopidas not out Total (1 wid dec)......

Jeved Miandari, "R C Ontong, H Morris, J F Steels; J Derrick, 17 Devies, J G Thomas and S R Barwick did not but. BOWLING: Davis 5-2-13-0; Dradge 6-2-12-0; Marks. 7-0-40-0; Crowe 5-1-23-0; Palmer 5-1-17-0; Lloyda 16-1-62-0; Popplowell 11-1-50-1.

SOMERSET: First lavings 308 for 6 dec (P M Roebuck 63, M R Davis 60 not out, V J Marks 53; Bowling: Thomas 20-6-73-3; Barwick 19-5-45-2 Derrick 23-3-61-1; Steele 24-6-58-2; Ontong 15-4-36-0). P M Roebuck e Davies b Barvick ....
N F M Popplewal c Morris b Steele ...
N F M Popplewal c Morris b Steele ...
M D Crows b Steele ...

Total (4 wids)\_ FALL OF WICKETS: 1-4, 2-38, 3-64, 4-78.

# Roberts setback

West Indian pace bowler Andy Roberts, who has a back injury. seems set 10 return home. Roberts, who helped Leicestershire during their recent injury crisis, is again an absence from the side that meets Yorkshire at Sheffield in the

from Scotland, could make his to second place in the Detroit Grand second championship appearance. Prix had been examined by officials.

England won the world cham- assuming neither of them has a bad day, the result depends ultimately on what might be called external

> Bellis says he has adapted his game to the slower British conditions. In New Zealand, the emphasis is on the firing shot or drive - on the shoulder rather than the wrist - as a means of getting out of trouble. Bellis has disciplined himself to drive less and draw more. like a great artist.

INCE & great stricts.

SINGLES: Play-off for 9th and 10th places: D Corthill (fre) 21, M Nicolle (Guerrasey, 5, -11th, and 12th places: N Mothons (US) 21, G Street, (HQ) 15, 13th and 14th places: J Jones (Britley) 21, S Witchine (Walse) 20, 15th and 16th places: B Heining (Melane) 21, S Patton (Fig) 8, 17th and 18th places: J Kalakis (Botswara) 21, F Peters (W Santon) 17, 19th and 20th places: D Thompson (Seeziland) 21, J Cannevig (Arg) 18, 21st and 22nd places: C Croft (Papua New Guine) 21, J Haccoerty (Ker) 16.

beat Peter Belliss (NZ) in today's singles final, not because he is a better bowler, but because he is playing on his native soil, in front of a crowd, most of whom will be willing every bowl he delivers to land on the jack. When the ability of the players is about equal, and

# Clough signs three new players for Forest

Noningham Forest manager, signed three players yesterday, including the Dutch international sweeper, Johnny Metgod, and Gary Megson of Sheffield Wednesday. Metged, who was signed from Real Madrid, nearly joined Forest three years ago but was unable to agree terms. He has also played for the Dutch side, AZ 67.

the Dutch side, AZ 67.

Megson, an under-21 international formerly with Plymouth Argyle and Everton, has been in dispute with the Sheffield club since failing to agree new terms.

Clough's third signed in the England youth internatinal winger, Franz Carr from Blackburu Rovers.

none of the fees have been disclosed but it is understood that Sheffield Wednesday, who earlier this week lost Gary Bannister to Queen's Park Rangers, wanted £200,000 for Megson.

£200,000 for Megson.
John Burridge, the Wolverhampton Wanderers goalkeeper, is to join Walsall at a fee to be decided by a tribunal. Burridge was the club's player of the year last season.
The Wolverhampton manager, Tommy Docherty, is hoping to sign Asa Hartford, who is expected back in England in three weeks time after a period in the North American League. eague. Eric Gates, Ipswich Town's 28-

ton Town manager, yesterday agreed terms with the Cardiff City forward Trevor Lee and Reading's



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centre half, Michael Barnes, who will both sign on Monday on free win both sign on Monday on free transfers.
David Shearer, the 25-year-old Grimsby Town forward who was formerly with Middlesbrough, is being given a trial by Gillingham.
David Madden, Charlion Athletic's summer signing from 'Arsenal, has sustained a knee injury and misses the club's tour to Scotland next year. and misses the club's tour to Scotland next year.

Bristol City have agreed terms with the Darlington forward Alan Walsh. They have offered £10,000 but the fee will be decided by a tribunal.

# Langer moves further ahead

Arnhem (Reuter) — Bernhard
Langher, the first-round leader of the Dutch Open Championship here extended his advantage to six strokes after yesterdays, second round Graham Marsh is the nearest challenger to the West German, one shot ahead of Johnny Miller. Paul Way, the British golfer, who was second overnight, could only second overnight, second overnight, second overnight, second only second overnight, second only second overnight, second only second overnight, second overnight, second overnight, second overnight, second overnight, second only second overnight, second only second overnight, second overnig shot shead of Johnny Miller. Pall Way, the British golfer, who was second overnight, could only manage a 74, leaving Brian Waites (68) as the leading Briton. 132: B Langher (WG), 64, 68, 138: G Mersh June, 72,65, 138: J Miller (VS), 69, 70, 140: A Cardio Gol, 71. 69; B Waites, 72,69; I Woosners, 70, 70, 141: A Shibba, 70, 71: P

72 holes £10,000 J S Bloor Eastleigh Classic at Fleming Park, Southamp-

He is now a remarkable 10 under par with a six stroke lead

**MOTOR RACING** 

#### Temporary reprieve for Tyrrell By John Blunsden -Ken Tyrrell vehemently denies any

Ken Tyrreli has been informed by Yorkshire at Sheffield in the championship match beginning today.

Alvin Kallicharran, Warwickshire's top batsman, will need a fitness check before the match against Kent at Edgbaston. The West Indian is troubled by a virus which is affecting his sinuses. Willie Morton, a slow left-arm bowler from Scotland, could make his far the car Martin Brandle drave to second nince in the Derroit Grand.

irregularities.
The Tyrrell team's reinstatement The Tyrrell team's reinstatement into the championship has been followed by the decision by Systime Computers to extend their sponsorship of the team to cover the German Grand Prix. at Hockenhelm on August 5, when Stefan Johansson will be joined by a driver – to be chosen next Tuesday – to replace Stefan Bellof, who is committed to an endurance race in Montree!

# Second limings B I H S Diver b Smitz. P A Smitt b Reiter S Wall 6 Parks b Tremlett

RACING: FRENCH DERBY HERO TO DETHRONE TIME CHARTER IN ASCOT'S SHOWPIECE

BIG RACE FIELD

3.20 KING GEORGE VI AND QUEEN ELIZABETH DIAMOND STAKES (Group : 2141,247: 1m 4f) (15 runners)

43-0013 ESPRIT DU NORD (B) (b c Lyphard-Rajput Princess) (D) (R Scully) J Fellows (Fr) 4-9-7

(Gray, Jamon steeves, orange cap)

2-44014 His HONOUR (b c Bustino-Tanerico) (D) (Sir M Sobell) W Hem Derbys this year, are at Ascot B Proctar 7 anday to contest the King (Pale Diss, yellow and white check cap)
1-12124 JUPITER ISLAND (CD) (b h St Paddy-Mrs Moss) (S Threadwell) C
British 6.9.7

British 5-9-7 British Steves, blue and red quarteted cap)
411130 MAGWAL (b h Dictus-Val Gardena) (D) (Mahmoud Fustok) A
Fabre (Fr) 5-9-7 GSrdena) (D) (Mahmoud Fustok) A Green, red armiets and cap)
401002 MRAMAR REEF (b h Mill Reef-Thalessa) (Mrs A Richer

British S-9-7 (Yellow, royal blue stripe and cap)

309 133-311 TEENOSO (b c Youth-Furloso) (D) (E Moter) G Wragg 4-9-7 (Chocolate, gold braid and sleeves, quartered cap)
3214-40 TOLOMEO (b c Lypheor-Almagest) (C d'Alessio) L Cumani 4-9-7

(Yellow, red clac, royal blue sleeves, blue and yellow quartered pacemaker, it will be fascinating to watch Joe Mercer weave his 

313 314 Orace blue, yellow and white check cap)

D114-12 TIME CHARTER (CD) (b m Sartismer-Centrocon) (R Barnett) H

(Cherry, black sash, primrose and white quartered cap) 8-1103 DAHAR (D) (b c Lyphard-Dahlie) (B McNall) M Zilber (Fr) 3-8-8 316 (Dark blue and grey check, grey sieeves, blue cap)
DARSHAAN (D) (b c Shirley Heights-Delsy) (Age Khan) A de
Royer-Dupre (Fr) 3-8-8 W R Swinkern 12 317

1963: Time Charter 4-8-4 J Mercer (5-1) H Candy 9 ran.
7-4 Time Charter, 4 Darshaan, 9-2 Sun Princess, 5, Sedier's Wells, 6 Tsenceo, 12
Luth Enchantee, 14 Fly Me, 20 Tolomeo, 25 Esprit Du Nord, 33 Jupiter Island,
Magwal, 40 Dabar, 150 His Honour.

FORM: TEENOSO (8-8) beat FLY ME (9-5) short neck at Saint-Cloud (1m 4-5f, £82,508, good to firm, July 1, 11 (an), with ESPRIT DU NORD (9-5) 22 away 3rd, LUTH ENCHANTEE (8-5 further ½ away 4th, and MAGWAL (9-5) beaten total of under 3l in 5th. HIS HONOUR (9-10) about 2½ 4th of 5 to Bishop's Ring (8-6) at Haydock (1m 4f, £14,917, firm, July 71, JulyTier RISLAND (9-4) 2½ 4th of 8 to Full of Stars (9-2) at Saint-Cloud (1m 4f, £24,752, good to firm, July 8). MIRAMAR REEF (9-7) 32 2nd of 9 to Straight Man (8-11) at York (1m 2.5f, £27,195, good to firm, July 10, SADLER'S WELLS (8-8) beat TIME CHARTER (9-4) a neck in Muchaing Eclapse States at Sandown (1m 2f, £90.972, good to firm, July 7, 9 tam), with MIRAMAR REEF (9-7) 22 away (5th and TOLOMEO (9-7) 7th. SUN PRINCESS (8-11) 41 2nd of 6 to Time CHARTER (8-11) at Epsom (1m 41, £49,239, good to soft, June 3, 17 an), with DAHAR (9-0) 61 3rd of 8 to El Gran Sanor (9-0) at Curragh (1m rt, £134,241, firm, June 30). DARSHAAN (8-8) beat SADLER'S WELLS (9-2) 1½ at Chamilly (1m 4f, £82,508, soft, June 3, 17 ran), with DAHAR (9-2) 10th.

### Course specialists

ASCOT TRAINERS: M V O'Brian 17 winners from 43 numers, 39.5%; H Cacil 38 from 127, 29.8%; G Harwood 32 from 132, 24.2%.
JOCKEYS: L Playoft 59 winners from 310 mounts, 19.0%; J Menter 34 from 198, 17.2%; G Starkey 35 from 235, 14.9%.

NEWCASTLE TRAINERIE: J W Watte 21 witners from 131. runners, 18,0%; M H Esstarby 20 from 160, 13,3%; J Fizgerald 10 from 78, 13,2%; JOCKEYS: E Hide 33 winners from 183 mounts, 18,0%; B Raymond 9 from 58, 15,0%; T less 10 from 85, 15,4%; T less 10 from 85, 15,4%;

DRAW: no advantage......

GOING: Good to firm

WARWICK TRANSPR: M Spute 10 winners from 29 runners, 34.5%; P Welwyn 13 from 80, 21.7%; G Harwood 10 from 52, 19.2%, JOCKEYE: S Cauthed 28 winners from 127 roousts, 22.0%; P Cook 18 from 117, 16.2%; G Stating 11 from 72, 15.2%; G

BEVERLEY

(Michael Phillips) B Proces 7 today to contest the King George VI and The Queen Elizabeth Diamond Stakes, we should still see a marvellous race now that Time Charter, Teenoso, Sun Princess, Darshaan and Sadler's Wells have all stood their ground. Time Charter is trying to emulate another great mare, Dahlia, who is still the only

horse to have won this glittering prize twice. And in what is bound to be a fast-run race, (Red and white hoops, green sleeves, red cap)

21-1922 FLY ME (th f Luthler-On The Wing) (M Dabaghi) A Fabre (F1) 4-4

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31-1922 FLY ME (th f Luthler-On The Wing) (M Dabaghi) ( way through what is an unusually big field for this race. Much as I would love to see Time Charter succeed again I feel that she may well be only second best this time to

Darsham who impressed many good judges when he finished so strongly at Chantilly, at the beginning of June, to win the Prix du Jockey Club. Now the word from Chantilly is that Darshaan has improved a lot since then and that he will be very hard to best even on ground much faster than he has

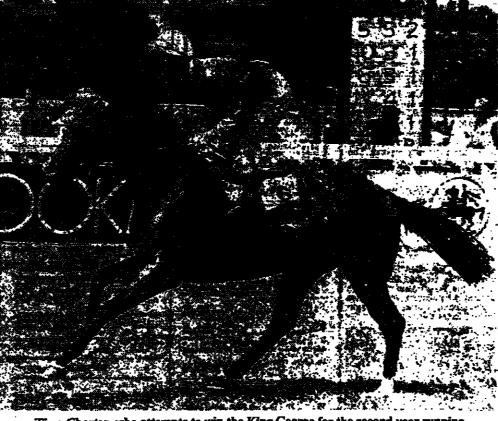
encountered before. In the absence of Yves Saint-Martin who is injured, Darshaan will be ridden by Walter Swinburn who showed maturity in advance of his years when winning this same race on Shergar three years ago. Swinburn has ridden Darshaan in a workout at Chanilly in preparation for this challenge and talking to him yesterday it

When he won his Derby Darshaan outstayed Sadler's Wells and Rainbow Quest. In the meantime, the form has been upheld by the second and third at the highest level, Sadler's Wells by winning the Eclipse Stakes from Time Charter and Rainbow Quest by finishing second to El Gran Senor in the Irish Derby. Whichever way you look at

was apparent that he was

impressed with the feel that he

TRAINERS: M H Essenby 26 winners from 166 runners, 15.7%; R Hollisheed 18 from 181, 95%, M W Essenby 18 from 200, 8.2%.
JOCKEYS: S Parks 14 winners from 116 mounts, 2; 1%; M Berth 38 from 305, 10.8%; G Duffield 22 from 217, 10.1%. today's race, the winner is going to have to last a mile and a half without flinching, because last year's Derby hero, Teenoso, who is trying to emulate Royal Palace, the only Derby winner to have won the Diamond Stakes as a four-year-old, is bound to be ridden up with



Time Charter, who attempts to win the King George for the second year running

will not be far behind her Newmarket,

Sun Princess and Time Charter have clashed three times with the balance now two to one in favour of Time Charter whose ability to quicken her pace in the last quarter of a mile could well be the deciding factor again. Whether she will quicken as well as Darshaan is another matter.

When Teenoso won the Grand Prix de St-Cloud at the beginning of this month, he had Fly Me, Esprit du Nord, Luth Enchantee and Magwal directly behind in second, third, fourth and fifth places. Yesterday Desmond Stoneham, our French correspondent, told me that we can expect a big run from Luth Enchantee who actually divided Sun Princess and Time Charter when she finished third in the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe last year. Apparently, Luth Enchantee has

been slow to come to herself this year but she is right now. The other day's honours could easily belong to Guy Harwood whose stable bounced back into form a week ago with

pace, while Sun Princess four winners at Newbury and Graecia Magna on 7lb worse not be far behind her Newmarket.

Graecia Magna on 7lb worse terms for only half a length, and

Attempt (2.00); Graecia Magon (2.35) and Sunoak (4.55) are the horses who could easily supply Harwood with a treble. Attempt, my selection for the Florentine Diamond Stakes, was a good two-year-old. Given time to recover from whatever was afflicting the horses at Pulborough in May and June, he then ran an extremely good race, carrying a big weight behind that much improved colt Courting Season at Sandown earlier this month. That performance just gives him the edge over Tocave Botta and Well Covered, especially as he will be ridden by that accomplished rider, Elaine

With Fatah Flare, Hilly, Silver Dollar, Al Bahathri and Graecia Magna all standing their ground, the Princess Margaret Stakes is arguably the best race of its type run so far this season. Silver Dollar, who has a pedigree that would not look out of place in the Oaks, had all those with the exception of Fatah Flare behind her when she won the Halifax Stakes in June. Now, she will be meeting

that points to Graecia Magna

getting her revenge. Sunoak, my selection for the Crocker Bulteel Stakes, ran well to finish fourth in the Royal Hunt Cup over today's course and distance in June, especially as his stable was not in form then. Now he is just preferred to Glen Na Smole, who had an appalling run at Newbury last Saturday Twelve months ago Henry

Cecil came up trumps with the answer to the problem posed by the Granville Maiden Stakes, which is for two-year-olds who have never run, in the shape of Keen. Now, I expect him to win the race again with Perreal, even though he just failed to win a similar race for fillies at Ascot yesterday with Batave. The way that Helen Street and Batave drew away from their rivals yesterday suggested that both were above average so confidence in Batave at Warren Place was not misplaced. Perreal is by Habitat, out of that great race mare Pawneese. By all accounts he has shown a lot of promise in his homework on the Heath.

# Darshaan can hoist Tricolore Hilton Brown helps **Cundell celebrate**

Hilton Brown put the icing on a great week for Peter Cundell, the Compton trainer, when winning the Rous Memorial Handicap at Assot The coit gave Cundeil his 300th winner since he took over from his father, Ken, eight years and Paris father, Ken, eight years ago. Peter Cundell is still celebrating the arrival of his first daughter, Alice, who was born last weekend.

Hilton Brown, defying a 71b penalty, took over from the pacemaking Durandal approaching the final furlong and easily held off Singing Sailor, and Lester Piggott, to give the promising apprentice Simon Whitworth his 17th success

Cundell, who trains Hitten Brown for owner-breeder Lord McAlpine, said: "Next stop for this colt is the Coral Handicap at Haydock on August 11. He gets no extra penalty for this win."

Hatim, a \$1.1m yearling, re-couped £6.472 of his cost when landing odds of 9-2 on in the Cranbourne Chase Maiden Stakes. Pat Eddery had Hatim well placed while Alemene made the running, and, when he asked the colt to quicken a furlong and a half out, the favourite surged to the front and won by four lengths from Camden Milly.

Hatim, who had run only twice in his life before - his only other effort this year was when runner-up to Stakes - missed the Derhy because

Jeremy Tree, his trainer said: That was a relief! Hatim was off for three weeks after York and I've brought him back gently. I worked him at Newbury last week, He's prone to sore shins and we'll set how he comes out of this race. If alright, his next engagement is likely, to be either the Prix de la Coto, Normande at Deauville, or the Benson and Hedges Gold Cup at

York."
At Carliale, Garry Loman, aged'
23, landed the first success of his
career on More My Scent in the
Wrynose Maiden Stakes, More My Scent made virtually all the running and scored by two and a half lengths from the 11-10 on favourite, Major,

from two and a half furlongs out."

Peter Bloomfield only had one hooked ride. Ganglion, at the meeting, and the filly was a winner, for him in the Honister Selling, Stakes, Ganghon, trained at Wantage by Matt McCormack, was always well placed, and after leading. two and a half furloogs out, battled on well to hold African Image by a

Bridgtown Castle broke loose at the start and unseated Michael Wigham, Wigham, brought back by ambulance, was given the all clear to ride for the remainder of the

Seasonal Pickup, who now runs

instead of Committed, won a six furlong handicap at The Curragh on

Sweeps Derby Day, giving weight and a beating to Waterville Lake.

Sayle El Arab was a most neonsistent performer last year but

he has a better record this season and he was third to Habibit in the

Kings Stand Stakes, having earlier been second to the same filly. The six furlongs at the Phoenix Park.

does not call for much stamma and if Sayf El Arab can build up a

sufficiently good lead by halfway he could hold on to win.

Blinkered first time

# Sayf El Arab to lead way in Phoenix sprint

From Our Irish Correspondent, Dublin

Two of the biggest shocks at July Cup and fourth to Committed Royal Ascot last year came from Sayf El Arab (33-1) in the King's Stand Stakes and Sylvan Barbarossa (20-1) in the Cork and Ortery Stakes. Both these smart sprinters have made the journey to Ireland today to contest the six furlong Baroda Stud Phoenix Sprint at the

Phoenix Park.
Yet a third English challenger is the Charles Nelson trained Double Schwartz, who was bought by Robert Sangster after being so unluckily beaten by Defecting Dancer at Kempton Park Inst September. Double Schwartz went wrong afterwards and this represents his first run of the year.

There will no shortage of racegoers if the sponsor. Sean Doyle, of the Baroda Stud has his way. Over the ways mark has her

way. Over the past week he has distributed 18,000 free admission tickets to the Phoenix Park. There are six home-trained runners of whom the fillies, Princess Trucy and Scasonal Pickup, make most appeal. Princess Tracy has had two recent runs in England, finishing fifth to Chief Singer in the

ASCOT: 2.00 Monair.
NEWCASTILE: 3.50 Old Meg.
WARWICK: 7.50 Edwin's Princess,
Qualitair Flyer. 8.50 Two Chances.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS: All engagements (dead): Noble Character, Lymond, Fighting Track.

# ASCOT [Televised: 2.0, 2.35, 3.20]

TOTE: Double 3.20, 4.25. Treble 2.35, 3.55, 4.55 2.0 FLORENTINE DIAMOND STAKES (Lady amateurs: £3,704: 1m) (23 102 1101-40 HOLLYWOOD PARTY (CD) (A Sheed) B Hills 5-10-6 ..... BANTHE BART (D) IS SISSEY) C SCOME 4-10-3 MONBAR (B)(0) (J BPG) A Moore 5-10-3 FATHFILL DON (PBB Racing Lst) G Baiding 5-10-0 IT'S KELLY (P Gonvir) G Baiding 4-10-0 KASSAK (A Jones) P Ashworth 8-10-0 KASSAK (A Jones) P Ashworth 8-10-0 LYMMSTER (D Wilckins) J Jensors 4-10-0 LYMMSTER (D Wilckins) J Jensors 4-10-0

ROMAN QUEST (B)(D) (Racegoe's Case Common Sera Liberta Religion of CROCHWELL GIRL (B Wests) K Bridgerster 5-9-11 Super Yardey 16 LATE HOUR (G Smyth) R Hollinsheed 5-9-11 Geraldine Rees 20 LEYSH (B) (Prince Yazd Sauch) S Norion 3-9-9 Jenny Goulding 18 ATTEMPT (D) (K Abduse) G Hanwood 8-8-5 Eain Mellor 11 AESCULAPUS (Mrs P Yong) P Hasters 3-9-3 Mary Geheay-Swift 1 MALISTRANG (J Upson) S Mellor 3-9-3 Dena Mellor 3-18 PASSING STORIA (Geroness H Thyssen) R Houghaon 3-9-3 Gele Johnson Houghon 19 Calling April 19 Sarah Kelleway 3-9-3 Sarah Kelleway 3-9-3 030412 040001 11213-3 s: Shariff Muir 3-9-3 Maxima Carvatho (10-1) M Stoute 21 ran npt, 3 Tourne Botta, 4 Well Covered, 7 Leysh, 8 Hollywox

5-2 Attempt, 3 Toomre Botts, 4 Well Covered, 7 Leysls, 8 Hodywood Party, 12 Passing Storm, FORSE: WELL COVERED (8-4) 8th of 13 to Courting Season (8-11) at Newmarket (8th good to firm, July 12), previously (8-11) 3d Zend of 11 to Bare Essence (8-1) at York (8t. 211,725, good to firm, July 12), with HOLLYWOOD PARTY, C9-10) 7th and BARINE BARY (8-2) 8th HOLLYWOOD PARTY (9-10) 11 to 9th Angold (8-11) 11 to 9th ANGOLD (8, 217,805) (9-10) 11 to 9th ANGOLD (8, 217,805) (9-10) 11 to 9th ANGOLD (8, 217,805) (9-10) 11 to 9th ANGOLD (8-11) at Sandown (8t. 2639, good to 8th, July 13, ATTEMET (8-7) 5th ANGOLD (8-7) just over 31/9 5th of 8 to Super Trip (8-5) at Haydock (7-5), 24, 155, firm, July 7). PETER BARTH (8-3) 9th of 13 to Maraner Reaf (8-9) at Redoct (10-2), 11, 451, good, May 29, TOGAVE (8-7) best John to 9 to Gains (8-2) at Newbury (6t, 24, 516, good for first, July 19, 3 ran), KELLYCURRA (7-13) 4th 5th of 9 to Gains (8-2) at Newbury (6t, 24, 516, good for first, May 20). 2.35 PRINCESS MARGARET STAKES (2-y-o fillies: 28,259: 6f) (10)

# NEWCASTLE [Televised: 1.45, 2.15, 2.50]

GOING: good to firm. Draw: no advantage. 1.45 VARIETY CLUB OF GREAT BRITAIN MAIDEN STAKES (3-y-o: 22,060; 1m 1f) (7 runners) 9-0000 BOHEMOND (Lord Lembton) Denys Smith 9-0 M Fry
CAROL S MURIC Di Britishi) D Flant 9-0 B Coogen
CAROL S MURIC Di Britishi) D Flant 9-0 P Biocomisid 3
CAROL S MURIC Di Britishi) Afra N Macusiny 9-0 P Biocomisid 3
CONNECTS CLARION (Mrs R Rogare) B Hisribury 8-11 Tives
CAROL MARRIJARTA TIME (E ROGER) B Hisribury 8-11 M MINISTER (E MOSER) G Winago 5-11 B Raymond10 NOND DIR. (E MOSER) G Winago 5-11 B Raymond10 NONTHERN DYNAMSTE (T German-Mathhem) P Carbor 8-11 M Swetroft

1963: Lahab 9-D R Cochrane (9-4 fav) F Durr 8 ran. Music. 16 Behamond, 25 Even Briston.

FORSE: BONESHOND (8-5) Set of 11, beaten over 331 by Petrizzo (8-5) at Chester (18f, £1,716, good, July 14). CAROL 3 MUSIC (9-f) unplaced beaten over 13% by Raunel (9-11) at Thirst (8f, £2,502, good, April 14, 17 can). Even Britz 22 (8-6) always behind when beaten over 4 by Acondum (9-f) at Redear (6f, £1,367, July 2, 22 ran). COMBETS CLARION (8-f) 746 3rd of 8 to Acondum (8-f) at Hamilton (11f, £265, frm, July 15). MARGUARITA THEE (8-f3) beaten 2 when first to Candon Lad (9-5) at Leicester (8f, £2,57, good to firm, July 16 may, NO MO GREL.

(8-11) 4th of 10 beaten just over 4 by Thanks (9-f) at Windoor (10f, £1,045, good to frm, July 9). NORTHERN DYNAMITE (8-f1) never closer when 61/f 5th of 6-belind Abu Kudru (9-f) at Edinburgh (8f, £666, frm, July 2).

Selection: NO MO GREL.

### Newcastle selections

By Manderin
1.45 Connic's Clarion. 2.15 King Charlemagne. 2.50 Lak Lustre. 3.20
Harvester King. 3.50 Sundown Sky. 4.20 Treasure Hunter. By Our Newmarket Correspondent

1.45 No No Girl. 2.50 Camisite. 3.20 Harvester King. 4.20 Trouvere.

2.15 VARIETY CLUB SUNSHINE COACH HANDICAP (24,800: 5f) (6) CHAPLINES CLUB (D) (P Savin) R Thompson 4-7-7 ...... DREAM AGAIN (D) (A Duffield) G Calvert 4-7-7 ......

Remoting River 5-7-13 P Robinson (2-1 fev) W A Stephenson 7 fen. agris, 7-2 King Churlemagne, 4 Cheplin's Chib, 5 Dream Agein, 8 Rembing River, 10 Bri-Eden.
PORM: JONACRIE (8-7) 3rd beaten just over 21 by Ardrox Lad (8-0) with RAMBLING REVER; 8-10.
11th of 12 at York (61, 54,856, good to firm, July 13), BRI-EDEN (10-10) 77 and to Thursderbridge (8-7) at Editburgh (8-127), firm, July 9, 4 mm. 10402 CHARLEMANNE (8-2) 2nd beaten 11 by 77 at 15 Editburgh (8-12) with CHARLEMA CLIES (8-11) 8th of 7 beaten 51 at Ayr (51, 57, 73, good, July 17). DREASE ALEMN (8-10) beaten almost 41 when 4th of 9 behind Hamself (8-1) & Charger (61, 23, 115, good, July 14).
23, 115, good, July 143.
24, 115, good, July 143.
25, 115, good, July 143.

# and AJ. SAHATHER (5-11) beaten total of about 31/3 in 5th. AJ. SAHATHER is at time (5-11) beat Only (5-11) 3t at Newmarket (61, 23,590, good to firm, July 11, 10 mm). TUMBLE DALE (5-11) 71/3 5th of 7 to Love in Spring (5-1) at York (61, 24,869, good to firm, July 14), with FOR CERTAIN (5-1) over 41 away 7th. MEMBRO (6-4) beat Direct Blanche (5-8) 1/3 at Strighton (51, 21,693, good, May 20, 10 rant, RAHASH (5-8) beat imperial Jade (5-13) at Worldhampton (51, 2222, good, July 23, 9 srq.). SAFAX (5-11) beat fair (5-11) a head at Selection; (52, 21,640, good to 8rm, June 27, 14 ran).

3.20 KING GEORGE VI AND QUEEN ELIZABETH DIAMOND STAKES (Group I: £141,247: 1m 4f) . : [RUNNERS AND RIDERS SEE ABOVE]

3.55 GRANVILLE, MAIDEN STAKES (2-y-o c & g: £6,388: 61) (11)

ALL SINEYEALED (Mrs I Norman) D Thom 9-0
AMERICANANOS (S Sofronico) M Salaman 9-0
AMERICANANOS (S Sofronico) M Salaman 9-0
AMERICANANOS (S Sofronico) M McCormack 9-0
DAMEL BOY (M Stendarbury) M McCormack 9-0
DUBRICAIS (A Firm) J Winter 9-0
DIOZAMI (Handan A Hastacum) P Wateryn 9-0 A Bercley
L Piggott
B House
Swinburn
Mercer
T Quinn 1983: Keen 9-0 L Piggott (5-2 jt fav) H Cecil 7 ren. is Perreel. 4 Khoselem, 5 Assed, 10 Sneafy, Main Resson, 12 Pin

### Ascot selections

By Mandarin 2.0 Attempt. 2.35 Graecia Magna. 3.20 Darshaan. 3.55 PERREAL (nap).

2.0 Tocave Botta. 2.35 Fgtah Flare. 3.20 Teenoso. 3.55 Perreal. 4.25 Opale 4.55 Knights' Banner.

By Michael Seely 2.0 Attempt. 2.35 Silver Dollar. 3.20 TIME CHARTER (nap).

4.25 SANDRINGHAM HANDICAP (£5,920: 1m 4f) (5) 1983: Vorscity 4-9-6 W Carson (9-4 it tav) J Winter B ran. 7-4 Opale, 9-4 Fitzpetrick, 7-2 Boldler Ant, 6 Regal Stast. 7 Aberfield. 4.55 CROCKER BULTEEL HANDICAP (26,295; 1m) (10) TETRON BAY (CD) (A Shannon) R Hamon 4-9-7.
CARALLO (D) (Twedde Franch Group) K Brassay 5-9-6.
SUNOAK (D) (I Herwinslin) G Harwood 4-9-1.
JORGHT'S BAINNER (St (2 White) M Stoute 3-8-12.
GARBLERS DREAM (B) (D Wisson) D Wisson 7-8-10.
FOLLOW THE STARS (C Harper) D Eleworth 4-9-8.
ALNOOD (Shalkri Mohemmed) J Duniop 3-8-6.
MOSOCIO (Lady P Rous) R Amestrong 3-8-3.
MORNIFAR 90Y (D) (R Wray) S Norton 4-9-2.
GLEN MA SINOLE (SF) (Mrs. J Lywis) J Subsitts 3-7-12 (S-1)

2.50 BEESWING STAKES (£12,276: 7f) (7) 22300 CAMBRIE (Times of Wigen) W O'Gomen 6-6-5
221014 GREY (DERRE (D) (M Britain) D Plant 4-9-5
124-000 MAJOR DON (D) (Nir A Britain) D Plant 4-9-5
114-419 SOUTHERN ARROW (A Batzarri) M Jarris 3-9-1
23-4225 DAMOND CUTTER (F Switz R Williams 5-9-0
022-121 JAK LUSTRE (CD) (I Sour) R Flaher 3-8-1
022-142 ROYAL RECOURSE (D) (SF) (P Welcol) R Williams 5-5. B Coogen . 1982: Beaudetaine 3-8-5 E Hide (8-11 tev) M V O'Briet (tra) 7 ran. . 1982: Beaudelaire 3-8-5 E Hide (8-11 fav) M V O'Brien (fre) 7 ran.

15-8 Lai: Lustre, 11-4 Cernicite, 4 Gray Desire, 13-2 Royal Recourse, 12 Major Don,
FORSE: CAMESTIE 9-10) close 4th besten 1i by Mary Magains (7-7) at Myr (8f, 29,771, good, July
21, 15 ran), GREY DESSEE (9-5) besten just over 4 to Condribe; (8-5) at Lingfield with DLABOOR
CHITTER (8-11) besten over 10 in 8 in 07, £12,213, good July 14, 6 ran), Bau-OR BON 9-4 did not
get clear not when 8th of 17 besten over 45 by Austrony's Pleasure (8-12) at Newmarket (71,
211,908, good to Srn., July 10), SOUTHEEM ARRIOW (9-2) besten over 12 when 7th 5 bethind
Claudet Monet (8-10) at Newmarket (10f, 23,768, good to Srn., May 3), LAX LUSTRE (8-6)
Claudet Monet (8-10) at Newmarket (10f, 23,768, good to Srn., May 3), LAX LUSTRE (8-6)
Shi to Newmarket (77, 27,584, good to soft, April 21, 11 ran), ROYAL RECOURSE (7-12) 1/4 2nd to
Nephrite (8-6) at Newmarket (8f, 21,008, good to Srns., June 30, 11 ran).

Selection: GREY DESSEE 3.20 TYNE AND WEAR BARKERS OF VARIETY MAJDEN STAKES (2-y-o: £1,370: 6f) (13)

ET, 3/V.C DT) (13)

BOOT POLISH (G Perforagen) J W Watts 9-0

P CHOCOLATE BOLDHER DATS P Polish) P Robers 9-0

HARVESTER KRING (BP) (R Agreed) M Jarvis 9-0

D MARW T(P Thyne) GH Beil 9-0

MARK SLASEY (A Duffield) G Ceiver 9-0

MARK SLASEY (A Duffield) G Plant 9-0

P PALLINGORA (Hed Jones) K Stone 9-0

PRECORD HALLIER (J Adams) H Blackshiker 9-0

RECORD HALLIER (J Adams) H Blackshiker 9-0

BOON SHARP (Hose E NacGregor) M H Easterby 8-1

MOSILS (K Abdust) W Elsey 8-11

402: No corresponding race. JOW 1983: No corresponding rac ter King, 3 Nobits, 11-2 Try Nordan, 13-2 Cho 3.50 VARIETY AT WORK SELLING STAKES (2-y-o: £1,035: 7f) (9) ARHELT FAT WORK SELLING STANCES (CTYCLE),

00 BORNY PRINCE WOR (Mrs F Pauron) P Calver 8-11

10002 Lincytell (J Brown) J Berry 8-11

1000 BIRDOWN 9(Y) (D Parkinson) E Waynes 8-11

1000 AFRICAL (W Burns) T Craig 8-8

1000 BIRDOWN 9(Y) (D Parkinson) E Waynes 8-11

1000 BIRDOWN 9(Y D Parkinson) E Waynes 8-11

1000 BIRDOWN 9(Y Barnet) K Stone 8-8

1000 BIRDOWN 9(Y BARNET) (EVENTRON) CH Bell 8-6

1000 BIRDOWN 9(L COIR Wander) M H Stanerby 8-8

4.20 SPANISH CITY CORKSCREW HANDICAP (\$2,070: 2m) (5) 

#### Ascot results Geina: Good to fitm

2.0 Cranbourne Chase Maiden Stakes (3-y-0: 28,472: 1m 29) HATING to by Exclusive Netive - Sunday Purchase (K Abdulla) 9-0 Pet Eddery (2-9 tax)

Canades MBy h f by Carnden Town - Mily Whiteway (3 Kaye) 6-11 ..... S Cauthen (20-1) 2 Roots Weide br c by He de Bourbon - Green Glade (E Holding) 9-0 ........ B Raymond (20-1) 3 Alcmans (501), 50 Nader (401), 5 ran. 41, 72, 11, 20, 31, J Tree at Mariborough. TOTE: Why £1.40, Paces: £1.40, £2.00, DF: £2.10, CSP: £5.04, 2m 07.73eec. 2.30 ROUS MEMORIAL HANDICAP (25,983: 5f)

250 NOVE SEEMANDER : DY Darling March — Holdey Sesson (Lord McAlpine) 3-8-4 Holdey Sesson (Lord McAlpine) 3-8-4 Singley Baller br h by Marwingh - Seelady (Introgroup Holdings Ltd) 5-9-4. Propost (1-3-2) 

Also Fight: 2 Sport: Chief (581), 8 Cumwer (581), 9 Bernard Sunley (481), 25 Stock Charger. TOTTE Wine 53.50. Places: 21,90, 21,90. DF: E9.80. CSP: 215.08. 1m 02.82mm. 3.00 YIRGINIA WATER MAIDEN ETAKES (2-y c: 030c: 25,860: 60)

HELEN STREET Stby Troy—Waterway(Sir M Sobel) 8-11 Mercer (2-1 fav) Bustave of t by Posse—Bort Appetity Wildenstein) 8-11 Pook (11-1) Also Rart: 10 Oscura (8th), Roberto's Fighter, 12 Daring Way (8th), 14 Piritte Lase, 20 Prioricy, 33 Adorable Which (4th), Cheirge Abong, 10 ran, Nk, 7, nk, 21, nk, W Hern at West TOTE: Wit: 23.40. Places: 21.10, 21.50. 21.60. DP: 25.90. CSP: 27.37. 1 min, 17.56 agos.

3.30 BROWN JACK HANDIGAP (26,421: 2m) PRINCE CROW on a by Crow- Fashionably Tened(Str G White) 3-7-12 PRoblemon (100-30 fev)
Milistole b c by Mil Rest Heatherstock
Nigruhos) 3-8-6. L. Piggott (5-1) 2
Fortune's Guest on a by Be Riy Guest
(USA)—Fortune's Lady(V Advant) 4-5-8.

3 Whitworth (5-1) 3 Also Ran: 5 Kurowewa, 6, Jaskulaw (6th), 10 Another Sam, 12 Society Boy (6th), 14 Popel's Joy (4th), 33 San Cartos Bay, 9 ran, Hd, hd, nk, 31, 11, M Sacuta at Newmarket.

4.05 SANDWICH MAIDEN STAKES (2-y-o E8.711:78) TOTTE: Wir: £14.50. Places: £3.10, £1.80 £1.40. DF: £48.10. GSP: £50.41. Iroin 31.57 sec. 41, 31, 114, nk, nk. P Cote at Lephourn. 10

Prentice) 4-7-7 N. Adents (33-1) 1
Ballinese b / by Balder - Gaerning Horn
(Mrs G Smith) 4-8-10.... S Whitworth 19-2 bry 2
Singing Boy b g by Manor Farm Boy Jelinouse Rock (G Eden) 3-8-3 K Willey (12-1) Also Ran: 13-2 Big Pel 4th, 5 Monthoell, Torrey, 13-2 Bond Dealer, 8 Sizel Pass, 16 Major Arthony, 20 Sky Jump, 33 Chindreth, High Pitched.

TOTE: Wite 2102.70. Planed: 219.80, £1.50 22.70. DP. 2388.70. CSF: 2162.79. TRICAST £1,699.71. 21, nk. 12 ran. TOTE DOUBLE: \$88.15. TREBLE: \$582.80. JACKPOT: NO. WOR. PLACEPOT: \$15.60.

Carlisle

GOING: HAND
2.15 (Im) 1, GANDLION (F Bloomfield, 11-8
Invt: 2. African Image 6-2; 3. Painte Rother,
13-2). No. 3. 6 ran. Nr. Biologenow Castle,
Ris Dresma. W McComack at Wurtage.
TOTE 51:30; 21:10. E1:40. DF. 22:00. CSF. 25.02. No bid.
2.45 (8) 1, MORE MY SCENT (3 Lormox, 5-2);
2.46 (8) 1, MORE MY SCENT (3 Lormox, 5-2);
2.46 (8) Farma (10-11 fav); 3, Painshand Boy (12-1); 254, 255, 6 can. H Thomston Jones &theoremarks. TOTE 2.43.05; 22.50, 17.10, DF: 23.80, CSF: 23.85.
2.15 1, MATCHENS (K Darley, 5-2 fav); 2, Pokenthyne (10-1); 3, Balcars, Double (10-1); 6 can. NP. Critra Gold. nik. 23, R F Johnson-Houghton, TOTE 25.30; 51.20, 21.40, 22.20. DF: 515.60, CSP: 222.85. 3.45 (1m) 1, gabbon (M. Richerchen, 15-1); 2, ap Dr.Azura (15-2); 3, Carriago Way (5-1). Gu koodow 3-1 km. 9, int. 31, sh. 11, N. Byonot, UTE: \$13.70; 52.40, 12.50, 52. DF: \$55.30. TOTE: \$13.70; \$2.40, \$2.50; \$2.50; \$3.50.50.

4.15 (im 4) 1. Majesto Passe (3 Duffield, 13-8 faty; 2, Appis Wine (5-1); 3, Duffit (5-1); 6 fan, nt. 3, 6 Prichard-Gorgon, TOTE: \$2.50; \$1.20, \$2.50, \$0; \$2.570, \$0\$ \$2.52.

4.65 (im 17 80)(3) 1. Magened (9 Lowe, 6-1); 2, Michard (6-2); 1 may; 3, Editosa (5-2); 5 fan NR; Half Adlest, 1 fyl. S. 8, Hobbs. TOTE: \$2.10; \$1.50, \$1. Dr. \$1.70, \$3\$; \$1.62.53.

# BEVERLEY.

GOING: good to firm Draw: 5f, high numbers best. 2.15 HUMBER SELLING STAKES (2-y-o: £909: 71) 3.45 SEE IT LIVE IN YORKSHIRE NURSERY

3010 JOHN FRESH T Taylor 9-4 01 JACKS LASS N Tridor 9-1 8 CORNINE RUSSELL N Calleghen 8-11 000 GLENDERRY Hbt Jones 8-17 0000 SOCNER C Gray 8-11 900 WALTER THE GREAT M H Easterby 8-11 0000 SOUTHER O CHAP STITLE OF THE STITLE OF 1983: Torski 8-11 M Birch (Evens fav) M W Easterby 6 ran.

### Beverley selections

By Mandarin 2.15 Jacks Lass. 2.45 All Hell Let Loose. 3.15 Plying Sousman. 3.45 Free Go. 4.15 Special Settlement. 4.45 Sarab. 5.15 Northern Treat.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.15 Corrinne Russell. 2.45 All Hell Let Loose. 3.15 Man In Grey. 3.45 Seeb. 4.45 Bare Minimum.

2.45 PORT OF HULL HANDICAP (£1,826: 1m) (6) 8212 RAPID LAD (CD) J Spearing 5-9-10 ........ Bleam 9422 ALL HELL LET LOOSE G Prichard-Gordon 3-9-7 1982: Remon A-10-2 P Medicin (5-1) F Dierr 11 ran. 7-4 Repid Led, 9-4 All Hell Let Loose, 4 Elerim, 6 Well Rigged, 10 ron Maid, 16 Eastform.

3.15 HOPFENPERLE LAGER HANDICAP (£2,851: 1m 

**GOING: Good to firm** DRAW; low numbers best 6.30 GARRICK MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES (2yo: £857: 5f) (12 runners) FAR COUNTRY P M Taylor 8-11
GRIANAN ( Saley 8-11
HEY WELLY NILLY R Holder 8-11
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LADY DORTORELLO G Norther 8-11
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LTTLE SLOOP D Nicholano 8-11
NAME THE GAME B McMahon 8-11
ALLY COUNTRIENT (MR.) & Maley 8-11 dar Beauty \$ 11 G Seaton (11-4) G Lowie 10 ran. 2 Re Lyrical, 5-2 Idea of March, 5 Sally O'Brien, 7 Imptone Lad Ustica, 8 Lady Portobello, 12 others.

WARWICK

## Warwick selections

By Mandarin 6.30 Be Lyrical. 6.55 Top Ranker. 7.20 Castellita. 7.50 Halcyon Cove. 8.20 Travel Legend. 8.50 Brani Baby. By Our Mewmarket Correspondent 6.30 Bw Lyrical. 6.55 Aston Bank. 7.20 Steel Venture. 7.50 Halcyon Cove. 8.20 Reaval. 8.50 James.

8.55 WATERSIDE SELLING STAKES (1m 2f 170yd) LOVE EXPRESS W Pears 4-9-0
ANNIE OKE (B) Pater 1-9-0
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ARBOR LAME M Haynes 3-9-3
CHASE THE CLOUDS W R WIlliams 3-9
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LACEFELID D Arbuthnot 3-6-3
LACEFELID D Arbuthnot 3-6-3 1963: Easterly Gast 3 5 3 P Cook (11-10 fav) R Willetts 7 ran. 7-4 Top Rittler, 5-2 Love Express, 9-2 Vicercy Less, 11-2 Lecefield, 10 Come on Grapie, 12 Arpor Lane, 14 others.

7.20 MARY ARDEN HANDICAP (£1,641: 1m 2f 170yd

8 2102 STEEL VENTURE M Ryen 5-6-7 PROFINED
5 0000 BIRDWOOD J Dunlop 3-9-4 PRE Eddery
8 1001 CURNERYS BELLE M Blanshard 4-9-3 M Adems 7
11 0021 CASTELLTA R Houghton 3-8-13 SCENIMO
13 022-8 NEODLENTHEAND D Tucker 6-6-11 J WIElans 1

8 0030 HOLD TIGHT (D) R Whiteker 5-7-13 .. .... I H Brown 5 - 3 1933: Celestral Ar 3-9-5 E Johnson (11-4) M Stoute 6 nm.
15-8 Man In Grey, 11-4 Librate, 3 Macmaken, 6 Rying Scotso
Hold Tiget.

HANDICAP (2-y-o: £1,301: 71) (6) 1963: Lawnewood Avenger 9-2 S Perks (7-2) R Holimshead 10 ran. Evens Free Go, 3 lbs My Turn, 5 Pokey, 10 Arren Bay, 12 Seeb, 14

4.15 HUMBER BRIDGE HANDICAP (£1,240: 2m 3f)

1983: The Paven 4-8-5 N Day (13-8 fav) M Ryan 7 ran. secial Sattement, 11-4 Alfie Dickins, 7-2 Hydranges, 5 Paeripin, 8 ber, 10 Winney.

4.45 DALTON HOLME STAKES (3-y-o: £1,377: 7f) (4)
2 21-3 BARE MIDBINIAN (D) (8F) O DOUBLD 9-10
R Machado 5 3 

1983: Myra's Sest 9-6 E Johnson (4-11 fav) R Williams 5 ran. 8-15 Sarab, 2 Bara Minimum, 8 Misty Rocket, 33 Woodpacker Boy.

5.15 CITY OF HULL MAIDEN STAKES (2-y-o: £2,087:

1983: Airling 9-0 M Birch (3-1) M N Easterby 7 ran. 5-2 Northern Treat, 3 Fairways Girt, 9-2 Bold Wey, 13-2 Record Flyer, 8 Cock-A-Snock, 10 Naciron, 14 others.

900-0 PRESENT VALUE R Holder 4-8-6 ..... 4-00 PRESENT VALUE R Holder 4-8-8 A Fox 11
4-00 MORSTONIA M South 3-8-4 Kirrbertey 10
1284 WORLINGWORTH WALTZ M Pipe 5-8-1 T Courn 18
300/0 FALGORA B Peling 4-7-1 Westerns 5 9
2010 BLLE VUE R Holmsheed 11-7-11 WRigers 3 14
0000/ MAURICE'S TIP J Jenkins 6-7-9 

1983: Martin-Lavell News B & G Duffield (11-10 tav) M Prescott 11 rap.

8.20 MIDSUMMER NIGHTS DREAM HANDICAP-STAKES (3yo: Penalty value £2,848; 1m) (10) CAMBRIDGE LODGE K MOOKDAWN M Usher I WITHOUT R Boss 7-8 1983: Kellethi 9 7 P Cook (5-2) F Durr 7 ran.

8.50 SWAN MAIDEN STAKES 3 yo: £717: 2m) (13) 00-00 BE MY WANGS & Lawis 9-0 .... 4 BRÜNÜ BABY & HENNOOD 9-0 .

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9-4 Brave Gael, 3 Y i Oyston, 9-2 Johy Susiness, 5 Haloyon Cove, 7 Cushoir Fiver, 8 Edwin's Princess, 10 others.

3 Puget Sound 7-2 Travel Legend, Foot Patrol, 4 Pereng's Nece, 6 moen Led, 15-2 Reuvel, 8 others.

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# Britain tots up the points to win Cup

four holes

Don Padeett.

ball out of the sand and then wedged

Chillas when their matches ended, Cameron two under. It was particularly satisfying for Defoy, since he had not been chosen for

either of Thursday's matches. With the help of David Vaugha

his Welsh colleague, he had straightened out his driver the day

before and now roared away from

He won six of the first ten holes and three halves saw him could re-

By John Hennessy

Britain ran away with the singles, at least those that mattered, on the second day of the Professional Golfers Association Cup match against the United States, sponsored by Bell's Whisky for club proonals, at Turnberry yesterday. With a two-point lead carried over from the first two days, Britain needed only four points in the nine ngles to retain the trophy and won the first five to come in The final score was 12½-8½ in Britain's favour. They have now won four successive home matches against

the United States at this level.
As Denis Durnian, the British club champion, came down the eighteenth all-square with Larry Webb, his American counterpart. Bob Cameron was overpowering Dan Murphy. With Craig Defoy and John Chillas already in the winners' enclosure, Durnian now knew that the distinction of hammering home the crucial nail lay with him.

It was an unexpected develop-ment, for Webb, having struck a five-iron to within an inch or two of the fourteenth hole, had a two-holes lead with four to play. He lacked the finishing power in the changed conditions created by a cold wind from the south carrying uncomfortable squalls of rain.

Webb missed a 5-foot putt on the fourteenth and went to pieces. A slice on the 16th tee left him no chance of carrying Wilson's turn and he allowed his opponent to win the final hole from a fairway bunker.

Transatlantic argument resolved

Britain's women professional golfers will compete after all in the Irish Open championship, sponsored by Smirnoff, ar Clandeboye from October 10-13. This comes after peace moves between Colin Snape, executive director of the women's Professional Golfers Association in this country and John Laupheimer, his American counterpart.

Last month Snape announced a boycott of the Irish event by Britain's professionals. They were

**POWERBOATING** 

# Record prize for US race

By a Special Correspondent

Record prize money of \$50,000 | Percival and Roger Jenkins, with 12. | The Minneapolis venus is where 1982 world champion Roger Jenkins miraculously escaped compete in two sprint heats and a scrious injury last year in a high-special out on a calm stretch of the catamaran flew course laid out on a calm stretch out of the catamaran flew course laid out on a calm stretch out of the catamaran flew course laid out on a cal course laid out on a calm stretch of the Mississippi.

This event, sponsored by Champion Spark Pluga, represents the halfway stage in the ten grands prix world series, in which two drivers have already been killed. The 140 mph craft have competed so far in France (twice), Holland and Sweden. The Dutchman Cees van der Velden leads overall with 24 points, ahead of the Italian world cham-pion, Renato Molinari, who has 18.

1982 world champion Roger Jenkins miraculously escaped serious injury last year in a high-speed "flip". The catamaran flew 40ft into the air

representing Britain this weekend, and then at Pittsburg one week later. The Trimite Paints driver, Rick Frost, aged 40, is the other, competing in his second year of Formula One. He had an excellent first season, coming fourth overall and second to Molinari in Minneaplis, but has had a disappositing year. shead of the Italian world chamso far in 1984. Nevertheless, the
pion, Renato Molinari, who has 18.
Wokingham driver, with Jenkins, is
Two Britons lie in third, Tom
expected to be a serious threat.

IN BRIEF

# Adelaide to stage grand prix

Webb drove wide to the left and pitched into the rough. Durnian meanwhile had dug the stage a Formula One grand prix next year as part of the build-up to the city's 150th anniversary celebrations in 1986. The penultimate race of the 1985 world chamionship will be run through the streets of Adelaide on September 22. to 15 feet. The American, his spirits perceptibly sagging, causually chipped the ball 15 feet short and made no sort of a first of the putt. "It may have been my worst round of the year," Durnian said afterwards, "he did not play a golf shot over the last According to the regulations the governing body, FISA, Adelaide must be in a position to stage the race for three successive years. The race will replace the European Notably, though it was in the wider context, it was an untidy Grand Prix on the Formula One match between the two heavy-weights, literally so in the case of the 19-stone 4lb Webb, and it lacked the quality of the golf produced by Britain's earlier winners: Defoy and

MOTOR RALLYING: This year's Lombard RAC Rally will be based in Chester, starting on November 25. The five-day, 1,900-mile event is the final round of the world rally championship and 150 of the world's leading drivers are expected to take part.

TENNIS: Dan Goldie, of the United States, reached the quarter-finals of the Washington grand prix tournament by beating Jimmy Arias in the second round and Brian Gottfried in the third.



Yanuick Noah (above), has bee torced to can on his comenack in the Indianapolis grand prix tournament, which starts on Monday. Noah has been told to take up to three weeks' rest after suffering abdominal pains during practice in Washington.

FOOTBALL: Ronnie Glavin is set to leave Barnsley for the Portuguese club, Belenenses of Estoril, who are nanaged by Jimmy Melia, the

former Brighton manager.

NEW YORK (AFP) - A business syndicate, headed by Giorgio Chinaelia, have bought the New York Cosmos club from Warner Communications.

EQUESTRIANISM: Annabelle May, aged 17, daughter of Peter, the chairman of the England Cricket electors, is one of three reserves for the British team for the European junior horse trial championships at Drzonkow, Poland from August 23

to 25.

GREAT BRITABI: Jonathon Gooderham (Rustic Moon), Malamie Gordon (The Done Thing), Malamie Hawtree (Sterie B), Datie Parker (Master Cheeter), Alexandra Remus (Raszarda), Jamie Search (Capricon VI). Reserves: Georgina Anstee (Prister's Devil), Annabella May (Norton Boy), Caroline McCowan (Ju-Jissu). RUGBY LEAGUE: Bill Goodwin, the former Featherstone Rovers Forward and Kent Invicta coach,

Law Report July 28 1984

# **Better jurisdiction** for wife's divorce

Gadd v Gadd

Before Lord Justice Dunn and Lord Justice Browne-Wilkinson [Judgment delivered July 20]

When considering the balance of fairness to determine whether matrimonial proceedings should be stayed under paragraph 9(1) of Schedule 1 to the Domicile and Matrimonial Proceedings Act 1973, the court should take into account the advantage of financial provision available in England as compared to the financial provision available in concurrent proceedings in another

The Court of Appeal so held, allowing a wife's appeal from an order of Judge Watts, sitting in the Family Division, whereby he stayed a petition filed by the wife on the ground that the balance of fairness required that the husband should be allowed to proceed with his petition

Mr Richard Hayward for the wife; Mr Paul Focke, QC and Mr H. Jonathan Barnes for the husband.

LORD JUSTICE DUNN said that the parties were married in the Bahamas in 1967. Both were British nationals but lived in the Bahamas until 1973 when they moved to

The husband was an international accountant. For legitimate tax reasons they took up residence in

Monaco in 1979.
In October 1983 the marriage broke down and the wife returned to this country to live with her mother. She filed a petition on November 18, 1983 under section 1(2)(b) of the

18, 1983 under section 1(2)(b) of the Matrimonial Causes Act 1973.
On the husband's application to stay the proceedings, no evidence of Monegasque law was led by the wife and the judge was obliged to proceed on the evidence before him.
At the outset of the appeal the court granted leave to the wife to file an affidavit on Monegasque law. The wife's expert contrasted the financial remedies available in Monaco as compared to the remedies available in England. If the husband obtained a decree

against the wife in Monaco, then the maintenance at all and was not

# If the court in Monaco granted cross decrees, that is, both parties were guilty of a matrimonial offence, then the wife was not entitled to any financial provision.

If the wife successfully defended divorce proceedings in Monaco she would not be entitled to any capital provision but would be entitled to

maintenance not exceeding one-third of the husband's income.

The husband's expert suggested that the wife could apply for compensation but that was not under the matrimonial law but under a general provision of the civil code.

That summary of the law of Monaco made it plain the wife would have an important advantage from the point of view of financial allowed to continue.

Paragraph 9 of Schedule 1 to the Domicile and Matrimonial Proceedings Act 1973 dealt with the court's power to stay English matrimonial proceedings where there were oncurrent proceedings abroad.

In considering the factors to be he attached to them, assistance was derived from the House of Lords in cases decided under the court's inherent jurisdiction to stay pro-

ceedings.
In considering the balance of fairness under paragraph 9 the court should take all relevant circumstances into account, including the loss of any personal and juridical advantage which the petitioner in properly constituted English proceedings might lose if proceedings here were stayed and proceedings continued abroad

continued abroad. In the absence of any evidence before the judge as to the difference between financial remedies, he did not take into account an important factor in exercising his discretion, namely the loss to the wife of financial relief available in proceedings in England. The balance of fauness required that the English proceedings be continued and the appeal would be allowed.

Lord Justice Browne-Wilkinson Solicitors: Lee Bolton Lee; the defendant appeared or was brought before the

# **Date binds** mode of juvenile's trial

Regina v Lewes Javenile Court, Ex parte T

Where a defendant appeared where a defendant appeared before a juvenile court on a charge triable either way and the court made a decision that the case was to be tried summarily pursuant to section 24(1) of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, and after that decision but before the trial date the defendant attained 17 years of age. the defendant was not entitled to elect trial by jury since the mode of trial had been decided before the defendant had become 17.

Lord Justice Stephen Brown, with whom Mr Justice McNeill agreed, so held on July 23 dismissing an application for judicial review of the refusal by the Lewes Juvenile Court on September 1, 1983, to permit the applicant to elect trial by jury on a charge triable either way.

LORD JUSTICE STEPHEN BROWN said that Lord Diplock in R v Islington North Juvenile Court, Ex parte Daley [[1983] 1 AC 347, 364), said that the only appropriate date on the question whether the date on the question whether the defendant was entitled to elect trial

by jury was the date when the court decided the mode of trial. The present case was distinct on its facts from R v St Albans Juvenile Court. Ex parte Godman ([1981] 1 QB 964) since the date of decision as to the mode of trial was before the defendant had reached 17 years of age mid the trial would have taken place before the defendant was 17 place before the defendant was 17 but for the hearing date having been

MR JUSTICE McNEILL, agree-ing, said that where a defendant under 17 pleaded not guilty in circumstances where section 24 of the 1980 Act generally applied, and when the juvenile court was not there and then ready to take evidence on the trial, the register of the court should record "remanded for summary trial". That would

# No committal after summary plea

Regina v Dudley Magistrates Court, Ex parte Gillard Before Lord Justice Stephen Brown

and Mr Justice Kennedy [Judgment delivered July 16] Section 25(2) of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 did not empower the court to discontinue the summary hearing of an offence and commit the defendant for trial once

a plea of guilty had been entered.

The Queen's Bench Divisional Court so held granting an appli-cation by the defendant for judicial review of the decision of Dudley Justices on February 13, 1954 to discontinue the summary hearing of an offence of assault occasioning actual bodily harm, which was admitted by the defendant before the court on February 6, 1984.

Mr Simon Brand for the nothing in those cases enabled the defendant; Mr R. D. H. Smith for court to say that the decision in

MR JUSTICE KENNEDY in considering the effect of section 25(2) of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980, and in particular the words "at any time before the conclusion of the evidence for the prosecution". held that R v Grant ((1936) 26 Cr App R 8), which decided that a magistrates court had no power to commit for trial once it had registered a conviction, was binding

Having looked at the authorities, in particular S (an Infant) v Recorder of Manchester ([1970] 2 W L R 2) and R v Midhurst Justices, Ex parte Thompson ([1973] 3 All E R 1164), his Lordship said that

S concerned a problem different from that raised in the present case. A majority of that court came to no decision on Grant. Midhurst was also concerned with a different problem. The court was bound by Grant. Having regard to that decision, the magistrates had no power to adopt the course they did.

LORD JUSTICE STEPHEN BROWN, agreeing added that if the prosecutor's view in this case were accepted the power of court to commit for sentence under section 38 of the 1980 Act would be

Solicitors: Tanfields, Dudley, Mr

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court to say that the decision in Grant had been overruled.

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MELL – on July 24th at the Royal Free Hospital to Caroline free Stewarts and Chartes, a designer Elizabeth, a sister for Susannah.

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Roper's daughter Emily Samuel, and Parties and Parties

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DEATHS

ALEXANDER - on July 23, Lucy peacefully at horne, 22 Haiguille Gardens, Baricingside, Essex, and her beloved husband Albert Richard on July 26, Funeral arrangements for Monday July 30 at Hoty Trinity Church, Baridingside at 2pm. All enquiries to H.L. Howes & Son Lin., 105 Tanners Lune, Baridingside. Tel: 01-580 4047 or 01-580 8261. BifAll—on July 25th at horne Jane (nee Brodie) agod 46 years of Corton, noar Warminster, Wills, Cremation at Salisbury on Tuesday July 31st at 2 pm. Salisbury on I tursuay our war pro-pro.

BONE On 25th July, peacefully in her deep at Trebetherick, Herberta, widow of Jack Bone, Funeral at 25. Endocc Church, I Abgust at 2.50, Corpovall Body Scaner Appeal. 1-2. Victoris 5q, Truro. Greatly missed by all her family and many more.

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COX - On July 25th, peacefully in hospital. Brian Stephen Cox, FRCS, FRCOG, of Devoran. Truro, Cornwall. Dear hisband of Sara, fathet of Andrew Christopher and Matthew and brether of Curistine. Private himman & cremation of Curistine. Private himman & cremation of Curistine. Private himman & cremation of Curistine. Private himman & cornwall and the Neuro-Sturgical Unit. Plymouth, c/o Barclays Bank, King Street, Truro.

ESDAILE - on July 26, Dorothy Mary Margaret widow of Maior P.C. Esdaile, daughter of Col & Mrs G.C. Oldfield, peacefully at a nursing home in Surrey in her 90th year. Fuseral. Brookwood Crematorium, wolding: Thursday, Angust 2nd at 2,30mn. Enguirties to Farnham.

GAUNT - on 25th July 1984, at

PETRO—Dr Alex suddenly but peace-fully on 25th July loved and missed by all who knew him. Enquiries Tel: 01-240 3040. O1-240 3040.

POPE - on 260h July 1984, sped 88, pascefully in her sleep in hospital, after a trief (lines), Judith Chevallier (née Beevor') lais of Prestbury, Chellenham. Belovoe wife of the lais James Alister Pope, C.J.E. Dearly inved mother and grammother. Funeral Northempton Crematorium. Wednesday 154 August, 3.50pm. 71 St. Commonstration of the Chevallier Street. Northempton.

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Radio 1

News on the helf-hour until 11.30 am, then 2.30 pm, 3.30, 5.00, 7.30, 9.30 and 12.00 midnight (MF/MW).
6.00 Mark Page, 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Sunday Show, 10.00 Adrian Justs, 12.00 pm Jimmy Saville's "Old Record" Club. 2.00 Steve Wright, 4.00 Paul Gembackini with an appreciation of Paul McCartney, 5.00 Top 40 with Simon Baises, 7.40 Anne Nightingaie, 19.00 Robbie Vincent, 11.00-12.00am Gary Byrd's Sweet Inspirations, 1 VHF Radios 1 and 2: 4.00am with Radio 2. 2.00pm Benny Green, 13.00 Alan Dell with Sounds Easy, 14.00 String Sound with Hilary Osborn, 14.30 Sing Something Simple, 15.00 With Radio 1, 12.00-4.00am With Radio 2.

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7.00 World News. 7.09 Twenty-Four Hours.
7.30 The Honorary Consul. 8.00 World News.
8.00 Reflections. 8.15 The Pleasure's Yours.
8.00 World News. 8.00 Review of the British
Press. 8.15 Science in Action. 9.45 Sporte
Review. 10.15 Classical Record Review. 11.00
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Musick. 2.45 Chympic Report. 3.00 Radio
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Concerts. 4.00 World News. 4.00 Commentary.
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# Saturday

### Television and radio programmes Summaries by Peter Dear and Peter Davalle

BBC 1

Double Bill.

film (r).

Film: The Hellelujah Treii

(1965) starring Burt Lancaster and Lee Remick, Lighthearted

western about a wagon train of whisky bound for the thirsty natives of Denver. Unbeknown to the the dry townsfolk two

seperate bands of people are

should not reach its destination - the local inclans

and a brigade of temperance women. Directed by John Sturges. 4.25 Banjo and the Woodpile Cat. An animated

programme of the series and John Strepnel travals on the Maruchar Express across north-west India (r). (Ceetax titles page 170.)

4.55 Great Little Reliways. The last

5.35 The World, the Flesh and the

6.00 News with Jan Leeming.

6.40 Home on Sunday, Citt

7.15 Are You Being Served?

page 170.)

6.10 Dombey and Son. Episode two of the 10-part

dramatization of Charles

Dickens's novel (r). (Ceefax titles page 170).

Michelmore at the Yorkshire

Comedy at Grace Brothers' store (r). (Ceefax titles page

7.45 Film: Big Wednesday (1978) starring Jen-Michael Vincent, William Katt and Gary Busey. California surfing film about

three men who were young friends and who are now

reunited as adults in their joint ambition to ride the Great

Swell, a glant wave. Directed by John Milius.

9.40 News with Jan Learning.

9.55 Omnibus, introduced by

triumphs.

Olympic Gra

Coverage of the Swimming

and Cycling finals on the first full day of the Olympic Games. Gold medals will be won in the

Women's 70km Road Cycle

Road Race; the Women's 100m Freestyle; the Men's

Women's 400m Individual

Relay; and the Men's 200m Freestyle. Ends at

Radio 4

6.25 Shipping Forecast.
6.30 News; Morning Has Broken. 6.55
Weather; Programme News.
7.00 News. 7.10 Sunday Papers. 7.15
Aona Hi Ghar Samajhiye: for
Asians. 7.45 Bells. 7.50 Turning
Over New Lasves. 7.55 Weather;
Travel: Programme News.

Travel; Programme News. 8.00 News. 8.10 Sunday Papers.

8.15 Sunday.
8.50 Week's Good Cause: Susan Hampshire talks about the ways in which disabled people are

helped to take an active part in gardening. 8.55 Weather, Travel. 9.00 News. 9.10 Sunday Papers. 9.15 Letter From America, by Alistair Coole

Cooks.

4.30 Morning Service from the Priory Church of St Mary and St Cuthbert Bolton Abbey, Skipton,

Cuthbert Bofton Abbey, Skipton, North Yorkshira. 10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition. 11.15 The Colour Supplement. The glossy Sunday magazine with Sarah Kennedy and Nigel Farnel sozmining some of the serious issues raised over the past week – and smiling at others. 12.55 Weather.

Weather.
The World This Weekend: News. 1,55 Shipping Forecast.
News; Talkabout Gardening.
Geoffrey Smith visits a North
Yorkshire herb centre.

Afternoon Theatre. "Willoughby's Phoney War" by William Fox. Jeremy Irons plays the oxt-of-work actor and buffoon who joins up in 1939 and finds himself in a series of ludicrous situations far removed from the grim realities of wer. With Anna Massey and

war. With Anna Ma Madeleine Smith.t

Madeleine Smith.†
4.00 News; Home-ing in. Radio 4's do-it-yourself magazine with Marjorie Lofthouse.
4.30 The Living World. A magazine edition reflecting the changing world of plants and animals.
5.00 News; Travel.
5.05 Down Your Way. 5.60 Shipping Forecast, 5.55 Weather;

100m Breaststroke: the

approximately 2.30.

Race; the Men's 190km Cycle

Humphrey Burton, A

documentary about the Westmore family of

Hollywood, it was George Westmore, who, in the silent

screen era turned his attention

home of actress Kathy Staff, best known for The Last of the

rmined that the whisky

# Sunday

BBC 2

Lynam. Line-up is: (times mdicate the first of severa

of the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games; 3.00

Cricket: Christopher Martin

Jenkins and Peter Walker at

one of today's John Player Special League cricket matches.

6.50 News Review, A digest of the week's news.

7.15 Arthur Negus Enjoys, Deene

Park, Northemptonshire, the family home of the Brudenell family, descendants of the seventh Earl of Cardigan. With Arthur Negus is John Bly and together they enjoy the amazing collection of furniture which has been amassed over the past three continue.

the past three centuries. In addition, they enthuse over the

hammer beam root and the

7.40 News with Jan Learning.

7.45 The Sound of Miles Davis."

Jimmy Cobb (drums).

8.10 Jammin' the Blues." A short film, made in 1944, that marks

a rare screen appearance of the celebrated tenor

saxophonist Lester Young with Harry Edison (trumpet).

Hilmois Jacquet (tenor sax), Barney Kessel (guitar), Red Callender (bass), Sidney Catlett (drums) and Mary Bryant (vocals).

8.25 Laughin' Louis, presented by Russell Davies. A film tribute

Armstrong.

9.40 The Sound of Jazz,

to the incomparable Louis

introduced by John Crosby. The first showing on British television for this 1957 film

starring jazz greats of the time, made in the smokey

atmosphere of a television

Count Basie's All Stars with Jimmy Rushing.

Affen as Benny Goodman. A

musical biography of the man who became the 'King of

Swing', With Donna Reed and a short guest spot by Kid Ory

Directed by Valentine Davies.

second programme of the week-end from the Soho club.

The same guests appear as last night - The Pizza Express

All Stars, the Stan Tracey Quartet and Five-e-Side. Ends

TONIGHT'S PROM

7.30 From Wastminster AbbeyMonteverdi's Vespers of the 
Bleased Virgin (1610). With 
soloists Nancy Argenta, 
Elizabeth Lane, Michael 
Chance, Mark Tucker, Nigel 
Robson, Richard Jackson, 
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Monteverdi Choir, Engl Baroque Soloists. Condi tor: John Ellot Gardiner.†

4; and the String Quartet in G, Op 106.† 2.00 News. 9.05 Your Concert Choice: Copland's Fantare for the Common Man;

Vaughan Willams's Job- A
Masque for Dancing.

18.45 Prom Talic Andrew Clements on
the music of Harrison Birtwiste; a
conversation with Hans Werner
Henze; and John Elici Gardiner
and Anthony Rooley discuss
Monteverd.

11.15 BBC Weish SO: with Mayumi
Fujikawa (violin). Rosskn's
overture The Thieving Magnie;
Mozart's Violin Concerto No 5, K
219 and at 12.05 Tchelikovsky's
Symphony No 4.

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12.50 Brandis Quartet: Schubert's Cuartet in G minor, D 173; Mozert Cuartet in F. K 590; and Brahme's Quartet in C minor, Op 51 No 1.7

2.25 Dmitri Alexsev: Piano recital. Schumann's Faschingsschwank aus Wien, Op 26; Schubert's Impromptu in F minor, D 935 No 1; and Ravel's Gaspard de la Nutt.†

3.30 Polish Chamber Orchestra: with

6.15 Penthesilea: Ohmar Schoeck's

Polish Charnoer Orchestra: with Michael Collins (clarineri). Bartok's Divertimento; Mathias's Clarinet Concento. Eigar's Introduction and Allegro for Strings; and Dvorak's Serenade in E. Op 22.1 Interval reading at

one-act opera, sung in German. Gerd Albrecht conducts the

Beethoven's Septet Op 20; and Vaughan Williams's Job- A

ed and

10.30 Firm: The Benny Goodman Story (1955) starring Steve

12.20 Jazz at the 100 Club. The

studio. The performers include

The first showing on British television of a film featuring

the Miles Davis Quintet and the Gil Evans Orchestra. The

Quintet's members are Davis

(trumpet), John Coltrane (tenor sax), Wynton Kelly (plano), Paul Chambers (bass) and

20ft-long refectory table that stands beneath it in the great

visits) 2.00 and 4,30 Highlights

6.25 Open University, Until 1.55.

1.55 Sunday Grandstand

#### BBC 1 6.20 Open University, Until 6.25. 8.40 The Saturday Picture Show presented by Mark Curry. Richard Wooton talks about his new book "John Lennon -An Bustrated Biography" and there is a video of Lennon's, I'm Stepping Out, Among the guests are magician Paul Daniels and Ian Donaldson, lead singer of H20, while the Mobile Picture Unit visits Rhyl in North Weles.

The state of the s 10.55 Grandstand introduced by Desmond Lynam. The line-up le: 11.00, 1.40, 2.05, 2.40, 3.30 and 4.00: Cricket: Fourth Test. Peter West introduces coverage of the third day's play in the match at Old Traiford between England and the West Indies. The the West Indies. The commentators are Richie Benaud, Jim Laker, Tom Graveney and Ted Deoder; 1.05 News summery; 1.10, 1.40, 2.05, 2.40, 3.40 and 4.30 World Bowts Champlonships 84 from Aberdsen; 1.55, 2.30 and 3.10 Racing from Ascot.

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5.10 Automan. An ail-girl pop group, recording a video, are. shaken when an explosion rocks the stage. Automan's attempts to trace the ampered by the girls' father turning to the underworld for help (Ceefax titles page 170). fax titles page 170). 5.55 News with Jan Leeming. 6.06 Sport and regional news.

6.10 1 On the Road. The first of a new series of pop shows, presented by Peter Powell. The guests, on stage at the Ritzy Club, Norwich, are Frankie Goes to Hollywood, Thompson Twins and Nik-

6.40 Film: Born Free (1965) starring Bill Travers and Virginia McKenna. The true story of gamewarden George Adamson and his wife, Joy, who reared three Bon cubs, after their mother was shot by George. Directed by James Hill with a much-played musical score by John Berry.

8.10 The Main Attraction. Variety show featuring the cornedy of Norman Collier, David Copperfield, Duncan Norville and Gary Wilmot and music from Deniece Williams, Gary Numan, the Dolly Dots and

8.55 Dynasty. Blake tries to call a half to his and Alexis's feud over Steven. 9.45 News and Sport with Jan

10.00 Film: Twilight's Last Gleenin (1977) starring Burt Lancaster and Richard Widmark. The first showing on British television for this nuclear thriller about a cashiered United States general who manages to seize control of a Titan missile silo and hold his country to ransom. Directed by Robert Aldrich and based on

Three.

12.20 Olympic Grandstand, Live from Los Angeles, the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games performed by President Reagan. The ceremony, described by David Coleman, includes the athletes' march past, the parade of the Olympic flag and the lighting of the Olympic flame. Ends at approximately

Radio 4

6.00 Shipping. 6.30 News; Farming Today, 6.50 in Perspective. 6.55 Weather; Travel. 7.00 News, 7.10 Today's Papers. 7.16 On Your Farm. 7.45 in

On Your Faren. 7.45 In
Perspective. 7.50 Down to Earth.
In the garden this weekend. 7.55
Weather: Travel.
8.00 News. 8.10 Today's Papers.
8.15 Sport on 4. Includes coverage of the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games in Los Angeles.
8.48 Yesterday in Parliament. 8.57
Weather; Travel.
9.00 News.

News. Breakaway. Holiday, travel and

leisure scene.
9.50 News Stand. Desmond Willook's

9.50 News Stand. Desmond Willook's review of weekly magazines.
10.85 The Week it Westminster. With Robert Carvel.
10.30 Pick of the Week (TV and radio extracts, with Margaret Howard.11.30 From Our Own Correspondent.
12.00 News; A Small Country Living: Jeanine McMullen meets sowers, hoers, respens, and stock breeders or rural Britain (4).
12.27 Just a Minute with Kenneth Williams, Derek Nitteno, Gyles Brandreit-and Martin Jarvis.112.55 Weather.
1.00 News.

1.00 News. 1.10 Any Questions? from the

TV-am 6.25 Good Morning Britain, presented by Henry Kelly and on Arthur. The pros and cons of Putting Your Daughter on the Stage are discussed on Saturday Call beginning at \$.35 and among the young artistes appearing ere Bonnie Langford, and the Children's Music Theatre. Plus news with Jayne Irving at 7.00 and 8.00; sport at 7.10.

8.40 SPLAT, presented by Adam

## ITV LONDON

9.25 LWT Information, 9.39
Seamne Street, 19.30 No 73.
The last visit of the series to the house of music and fun. 12-15 World of Sport introduced by Dickle Davies. The line-up is: 12-20 Powerboat Recing: the final stages of the Everest Double Glazing Round Britain Race; 12-35 The Tour de Everest Paris: Prance: the riders reach Paris; 12.45 News followed by Australian Pools news; 12.55 Rugby League: highlights of the New Zealand v Great

Britain game in Christchurch: 1,35 and 2,45 Racing: the 1,45, 2,15 and 2,50 races from Newcastle; 2.25 Speedway: The Daily Nitror/Weslake 16-tap Classic from Ipswich; 3.00 Going for Gold: a profile of top American athlete, Carl Lawis; 3.50 Sports news round-up; 4.00 Wrestling: three bouts from Chester; 4.45 Results. 5.00 News and Sport.

5.05 The Fall Guy. A gang of jewel thieves hide their loot in the shoes of horses taking part in 8.00 The Pyramid Game. Two contestants in tests of powers

contestants in of description. Some You Win. Luiu meets some more of life's winners and losers including Rock Hudson and Scotty Wolfs, a

Russ Abbot's Madho Highlights from the comedian's previous series (Cracle titles page 170). 7.30 Ultra Quiz, presented by Devid Frost from Los Angeles.

Eleven contestants remain and they are joined by guests Wille Rushton and Patrick Macnes. 8.00 The Gentle Touch. Det Inspector Maggie Forbes is on the trail of a vicious young gang that preys on old age pensioners (r) (Oracle titles page 170). . . . .

9.15 Film: Malibu. Part one of a two-episode drama about the lives and loves of the wealthy jet-set who live in the exclusiv Malibu Colony in California. (Oracle titles page 170). 18.30 Olympic Gala Concert from Los Angeles, introduced by Robert Wagner and Jane Fonds. Among those appearing at the Greek

Theatre in Hollywood-ere Olivia Newton-John, Sarah Vaughan and Johnny Mathis. 2.30 -London news headlines Cross (1976) starting Roger Moore and Stacy Keach. Maffet thriller with Moore playing a crooked lawyer. Directed by Maurizio Lucidi. 2.10 Night Thoughts.

Blishen, Árin Éeste, and Ulick

Baker's Dozen with Richard Baker t

Baker.†
8.30 Saturlay Night-Theatre. "Forgive
Me Father" by David Hopkins.
Drama about a death at a disco,
With Brett Usher, Martin Murphy
and Alex Marshell.†

and Alax Marshan.T
10.00 News.
10.15 The Lighthouse Invites the Storm.
Gordon Bowker on the life and
career of writer Malcolm Lowry
(Under the Voicano) (Hywel
Bennett plays Lowry).†
11.00 Evening Service.
11.15 Born Blind. The life-long struggle
for acceptance and
independence by Cyril HaywoodJonas.

Jones. 11.30 Steafel with an '5'. Shelia Steafel

Radio 3

Shepherd Fermet's Derce; Poulenc's 15 Improvisations (Ringelssen, plano); and Rim Korsakov's Sinfordetta on

Korsakov's Sinforietta on Russian Therries,† 8.00 News. Sterso Releaser Grieg's The Mountain Spell Mozar's String Caurtet in D, K 575; Martisu's Studies and Polices (Book 3):

Sticties and Politas (Book 3):
played by Kvapil, plano;
Schumatin's Requiem in D flat
(Donath/Soffel/Gedda/FlecherDiestau).

10.30 The Genaus of Venice: Third in a
series. Today: The Maestri of San
Marco. Works by, inter alia,
Glovanti Gabrieli, Andrea
Gabrieli, and Glosetto Guami.

11.15 Boumemouth - Sirionietta: with
John Digmy (shock). Hander's

John Digney (oboe). Handel's Concerto Grosso Op 6 No 12; Telement's suite Don Quixote Francaix's The Flower Clock;

Schubert's overture in the Italian style in D; Mozant's Symphony No 39.† 1.00 News.

No 32.1 1.00 News.
Beethoven and Brahms:
Beethoven's Trio in B flat major,
Op 11; Brahms's Trio in A minor,
Op 114. Janet Hilton (clarinet)
Raigh Kirshbeum (cello) and
Paler Franki Irismol.

Papp Kastobum (com) and Pater Frankl (plano).† Tchatovsky: Symphonic fantasy The Tempest; Tis not the cuckoo in the damp woods: The Nightingale; Domorby's monologue (Glernov is the speaker); Incidental music to

7.55 Weather. 2.60 News. 8.05 Aubade: Belfour Gardin

Steam with an '5'. Sheat Steam with monologues and songs from her one-women shows.

News. 12.10 Weather. 12.15
Close. Shipping forecast.
England: Viff as above except:
8.25-8.30am Weather; Travel.
1.56pm-2.00 PM Programme
News.

O'Connor, Music by Jeres



Duke Ellington and a section of his crchestra: a film portrait can be seen on BBC2 at 8.05 pm

BBC 2 5.25 Open University. Until 3.18 3.16 Jazz on a Summer's Day. Humphrey Lyttation and Russell Davies preview this channel's special weekend of

channel's special weekend of jazz programmes beginning with, at 3.15 Films It's Trad, Deal' (1962) starring Helen Shaptro and Craig Douglas. The filmsy story line is an excuse to parade a comprehensive list of musical talent including Chris Barber, Acker Bilk, Kenny Ball, and Gene Yimoent. Directed by Dick Gene Vincent. Directed by Dick Lester (first showing on British 4.30 Cricket: Fourth Yest, Peter

West introduces the action in the final session of the third day's play at Old Trafford in the ritath between England and the West Indies. 5.10 Prime! The final lesson of the dramatised German conversation course.

6.25 Arena: Jazz Juke-Rox B Areas: Jazz Jake-Box II, present selector of films made for the visual juke-boxes of the Forties. Mr Melly is joined by enecdotes about a number of the musicians featured who include Duke Ellington, Fats Wailer, Louis Armstrong and Count Basie (r).

7.15 News and Sport. 7.30 Jazz 625: Tubby Hayes\*, introduced by Humphrey Lyttelton. A tribute to one of Britain's best remembered jazz musicians, made in 1965, eight years before his death (r). 8.05 Duke Elängton and his Famous Orchestra. Russell Davies with a film tribute to,

arguably, the best known jazz band leader that ever lived (r). 9.20 Jazz at the 100 Chib featuring The Pizza Express All Stars; the Stan Tracey Quartet; and 10.10 World Bowls Championships 84. Highlights of today's final.

10.40 Cricket: Fourth Test, Richie Benaud introduces highlights of the third day's play. 11,05 News with Jan Learning 11.10 Film: Jazz on a Summer's Dev (1960) A compilation of the best of the music from the

four-day 1958 Newport Jazz Festival. A cornucopia of talent Includes Gerry Mulligen, Theionious Monk and Jack Teagarden. The film marked stills photographer, Bert Stern's, debut as a director. 12.30 Ella Fitzgerald at Ronnle shown ten years ago, of the legendary Elia Fitzgerald's erformance at the Sono club

TONIGHT'S PROM

7.30 Dvorak's Amid Nature. And Beethoven's Plano Concerto

No 3.† Janacek's Tares Bulbe. And Dworsk's Slavonic Dences: Op 46 No 1 in C; Op 72 No 2 in Eminor, and Op 46 No 3 in A flat. BBC SO under Sir Charles Groves. With Alfred Brandel (plano).†

6.20 Open University, Until 8.50. 9.00 Bod. For the very young (r). 9.15 Knock Knock. (r). 9.30 Sunday Worship, At home, with the Rt Rev Michael Marshall, Bishop of Wootwick 18.00 Asian Magazine, This week's edition includes a situr "teach-in" with Pandit Michil Banerjee and Viram JasanL 10.30 Open University, Until 1.00. 1.00 Farming, 1.25 Rockschoo. Raggae is the subject of this week's lesson for aspiring musicians (r). 1.50 News headlines. 1.55 Bugs Burny

CHANNEL 4 2.00 Great Wallow in this second programme of the series Richard Numes, Susanne Thomas and Rob Almsley are in the Lake District and walk the circuit of High Creg, High Stile and Red Pike (r) 2.30 Filte: Go West\* (1925) starring

Buster Keaton as a New Yorker who goes to live on a Arizona ranch where he falls for a cow, while the rancher's daugher talk for him. Directed by Keston and Lex Neal. Pfin: A Home of Your Own\*
(1964) Another slient comedy,
this one following the trials and tributations of the building of a young couple's idea! home in a new estate. Starring Ronnie Barker. Directed by

4.35 Buffalo BIE. American comdey series about a television chal show host that everybody loves to hate.

Brookside. A compliation of the week's two episodes. 6.00 Ear Say. Weekly pop music magazine. The programmincludes Elton John in the South of France reviewing records by Rod Stewart and

7.00 News summary and weather followed by 7 Days. The last programme in the series includes Denis Healy talking to Michael Chariton about the Israeli general elections and a film profile of the Lord

7.35 World Alive: Spain. The third programme on the bird and mammal population of Spain focuses on the great spotted and green woodpackers. 8.00 Sebastian Coe: Born to Run. A documentary about the British athlets, filmed over a period of nine months.

9.00 Callan. A KGB agent asks for protection but Hunter tells
Callan to organize the agent's
death by helping him escape
from prison.

10.00 They Came From Somewi Else. Episode three of the science fiction comedy. 10.35 25 Years of Country Music. A concert recorded two years ago Constitution Hall, Washington in the presence of President Reagan.

11.30 Film: The Hound of the Baskervilles (1959) starring Peter Cushing and Andre Morell Terence Fisher directed this version of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's classic tale about Sherlock Holmes. Dr Watson and a mystery of death on Dartmoor, Co. starring Christopher Lee.

4.00em Howard Paarce, † 6.00 Shells Tracy including 7.50 Racing 8.05 David Jecobs.† 10.00 Sounds of the 60s.† Tracy including / Joe Hazarig AND Jerobs.? 10.00 Sounds of the 60s.? 11.00 Album Time including 11.02 Sport. 1.00pm One of Kind. An appreciation of Eric Morcambe (r). 1.30 Sport on 2. Includes Olympics '84: (Preview of the 1984 Olympics), Cricket: (third day's play between England v West Includes) and Racing from Ascot. 6.00 Folk on 2 with Jim Lloyd. 7.00 Three in a Row. General knowledge quiz. 7.30 Cricket Scores; Gaiz Concert from the De la Warr Pavillon, Bestrill, including 3.10-8.30 Interval. 3.30 Big Band Special.? 10.02 Sport 10.05 Saturday Rendezvou with Shells Tracy.? 11.00 Kim Briba, including 12.05, 1.02 Olympic reports. 1.05am Nightride.? 3.00-4.00 Pop over Europe.?

3.20 Malcolm Proud: Harpsichord recital of works by Frescobaldi, Froberger and Rameau.†
4.00 BBC Scottish SC: with John McCabe (pisno). Howard Ferguson's Four Diversions; McCabe's Plane Concerto No 1; and Elisabeth Lutyen's Music for Orchestra.† Radio 1 News on the half-hour until 12.30pm, then 2.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30 and 12.00 wikinight (NF/MW). 6.00am Mark Page. 8.00 Tony Blackbour's Saturday Show. 10.00 Dave Lee Travis. 1.00 My Top Ten. Green, of Scritti Politit, talks to Andy Pebbles and chooses his top ten. 2.00 Paul Gambaccini.† 4.00 Saturday Live with Richard Sithner and Andy Batten-Foster.† 6.30 in Concert featuring Peter Tosh.† 7.30 Janice Long with Red Box and Alone Agein OK. 10.00-12.00em Dide Peach. VHF Radios 1 and 2: 4.00em With Radio 2.1.pm With Radio 1.7.30-4.00em With Radio 2.

and Elisabeth Lutyen's Music for Orchestra.

5.00 Jazz Record Requests: with Peter Clayton.

5.45 Soviet Life through Official Liberature: First of four talks by Mary Saton-Watson (r).

8.30 Howelle's Plano Quarret; Music Group of Landon play the work is Aminor. Op 21: A minor, Op 21.1 My Motherland is Solitude: Ronald Pilicup reads the story by

Picoup reads the story by loor Pomerantney.

7.30 Proms 64: (see panel for full details).†

8.25 The Length Ayre: Consort of Musiciae perform Robert Jones's First Book of Songs of Ayres, 1600 (programme 5).†

8.46 Proms 84: (see panel for full details).†

9.48 A Celebration for Frances Horovitz Highlights from a racital given in Bristol's Colston Hall last October to honour the poet and teacher who died in that same

tracher who died in that same month. Anne Stevenson, Gillan Clarke, Roger Garlitt, Seamus Heaney, Libby Houston, Ted Hughes and P J Kavanagh take

10.16 Boulanger and Duruffè: BBC
Northern Singers, Affrada
Hodgeon (mezzo) and Stephen
Cleobury (organ). Boulanger's
Pie Jesti; and Duruffè's Prèlude
and Fugue sur le noor d'Alain;
and Requient.

11.15 News. Until 11.18. Medium trequency only: 10.55em 6.30 Cricket: The third day of the Fourth Test between England and the West Inclass. Vriff only: 11.20pm - 12.00 Open University: 11.20 Victorian Art. 11.40 Social Skills.

News on the hour until 1.00pm and then from 6.00 (except 8.00pm and 9.00). Major bylletins: 7.00pm, 8.00 and 12.00 midnight (MF/MW).

8.00am Newsdesk. E.30 Aburn Time. 7.00 World News. 7.08 Twenty-Four Hours. 7.30 From the Weekles. 7.45 Network UK. 8.00 World News. 8.08 Reflections. 8.15 Pubbles Choles. 8.30 Brain of Britain 1984. 8.08 World News. 8.08 Review of the British Press 9.15 Cholos. 8.30 Brain of Britain 1984. 8.00 World News. 8.00 Review of the Britain Press. 9.15. The World Today, 8.30 Planetical News. 9.40 Look Ahead. 8.45 TBA. 10.15 Letter From Amperica. 1.00 World News. 1.00 News About Britain. 11.05 World News. 1.00 News About Britain. 11.05 Cricket. 11.30 Meridian. 12pm Radio Newsreel. 12.15 Anything Gose. 12.45 Sports Roundup. 1.30 Newtork W. 1.45 Sports Roundup. 1.30 Newtork W. 1.45 Saturday Special. 1.30 Newtork News. 1.00 Saturday Special. 4.00 World News. 4.00 Contrarentary. 4.15 Saturday Special. 6.00 World News. 8.00 Twenty Four Hours. 8.30 Play of the Week. 8.30 To be smounced on the day, 18.00 World News. 10.40 Reference 10.40 Reference 11.00 New Meres. 10.40 Reference 11.00 World News. 11.00 Contrarentary. 1.15 World News. 11.00 Contrarentary. 1.15 Letterbox. 11.30 Meridian. 12.00 World News. 11.00 Contrarentary. 11.15 Letterbox. 11.30 Meridian. 12.00 World News. Henescoria. 16.46 Sports Hourizap. 11.50 Morti News. 11.90 Commercipy. 11.15 Lettertox. 11.30 Martidian. 15.00 World News. 12.50 Henes About. British. 15.15 Radio Newsareal. 12.30 Play of the Week. 1.30 Balters Half Doost. 2.50 World Henes. 2.00 Review of the British Press. 2.15 Gustar Workshop. 2.30 Sports Review. 3.00 World News. 3.90 News About. British. 3.15 From Our Own Correspondent. 3.30 My Music. 4.45 Financial News. 4.56 Refeaching. 2.30 World News. 3.50 Twenty Four Hours. 6.45 Lighter From America. (All times in Qaff)

WORLD SERVICE

FREQUENCIES: Radio 1: 1053kHz/285m; 1089kHz/275m; Radio 2: 663kHz/433m; 909kHz/330m; Radio 3: 1215kHz/247m; VHF -90-92.5; Radio 4: 200kHz 1500m; VHF -92-95; LBC 1152kHz/261m; VHF 97.8; Capital: 1548kHz/194m; VHF 95.8; BBC Radio London 1458kHz/206m; VHF 94.9; World

BBC 1 1.00 (Wales) Farming in Wales reviews the Royal Wales Show, Weather for farmers, 4.25 (Wales) Basebell Cup Final. Highlights from Roath Park, Cardiff, of yesterday's metch between Liannumey Youth Club and Granes Albied for the Weden. Stewers Cup.

S4C 1.55 Eastern Eye. 2.50 Get
Cracking (1943) (George
Formby). 4.35 25 Years of Country
Music. 5.35 Ladybirds (Bornie Tyler,
6.15 Strumpet Clty. 7.15 Newyddion
Amsath. 7.20 Newyddion. 7.30 Cenwch
Yn Llater. 8.00 Goreuon Gwynfryn, 8.35
Dechrau Canu Dechray Cannol. 9.05
Design (Richard Sapper). 10.00
American Cassar. 10.30 Film Tel No
Tales (196.), .:elvyn Douglas. 11.45
Close.

ANGLIA As London except: starts 9.30-10.00 Once Upon A Time . . . Man. 11.30-12.00 I'm Young But Speciel 1.00 Firmt Leave 'em Laughing' (1929) (Laurel and Hardy). 1.25 Weether. 1.30-2.00 Farming Today. 3.30-4.30 Magnum. 5.00 Winner Takes AL 5.30-6.30 Return of the Saint.

ULSTER As London except starts 11.00-11.30 Getting On. 1.00 University Challenge, 1.30-2.00 Gardening Time, 3.30-4.30 Little House on The Prairie, 5.00 Head Over Heats, 5.30-5.30 Whit Kids, 12.35em Sports

#### Tv-am

7.25 Good Morning Britain, begins with a Thought for a

young (r). 8.30 Good Morning Britain continues with news headlines from Jayne Irving. The guest is Arthur Scargill.

people who have emoti talk about the problems of sharing the same house, 11,30 Star Fleet. Episode 16.

England, Their England. The story of a group of people from the Black Country who re-enact the Wild West, 12.30 Jobwatch, Careers in catering

Pletform Two. How moral and religious issues are handled by the media. With Paul Johnson are OU lecturer Janet Raddiffe Richards; Fr John Fitzsimmons, a Bible expositor; and Jean Mayland, a Church of England representative on the central committee of the World

2.30 London news headlines followed by To the Ends of the Earth. The story of the first pole-to-pole circumnavigation of the Globe, 3.30 A Feeling for France - Traditional Normandy, A profile of the

5.00 Survivet: The Realms of the Raingopse. A documentary about a pair of red throated divers as they rear their young

5.30 Magnum. The private army nurse, now a doctor. accused of causing the deaths of three patients. 6.30 News.

first in a new series of musical 7.15 The Sensible Show. Two families compete in a series off-beat games and tests.

7.45 Film: When Michael Calls 1972). A made-for-te drama about a woman who is a dead nephew. Starring Ben Gazzara (Oracle titles page 170). 9.15 News.

9.30 Now and Then. Comedy drama about two generations of an ordinary English family.

Parfitt as two old friends, reunited after a 30-year period. who are persuaded to play a plano duet in aid of church 11.00 Film: Dominique (1978)

Anderson. 12.40 London news headlines followed by Antibes Jazz

Fastivel. 1.10 Night Thoughts.

## Programme News.

talks about three of his tavourite humorous characters from

fiction.
7.00 Travel; The Big March by Allen Prior. Dramatized in eight parts

(5).

8.00 Latter from Yruth or
Consequences with the BBC's
Washington Correspondent,
Cive Small.

remembered. The celebrated baritone looks back at the people and events that have shaped his life and career. Last programme

are and career. Lest programme in the series.

9.00 News; Sword of Honour by Evelyn Waugh. Dramatized in 11 parts (5)" (r). 9.59 Weather.

10.15 Utile Me: The Backstage Story. The fortunes and relationtaines of this American musical from its original Broadways opening to its expenses.

philosopher-mystique Gurdjieft. 11.15 inside Parliament. 12.00 News. 12.10 Weather. 12.15

News. 12.19 Weather. 12.15 Close. Shipping Forecast. England VHF as above except: 6.45-7.45 Open University. 6.45 Chain Reaction Mechanism. 7.05 Music Interlude. 7.25 Education Bulletin. 1.55-2.80pm Programme News. 4.00-6.00 Study on 4. 4.00 SIX Walles with Miss Mandre. Six Walks with Miles Harding. 4.30 Get by in Franch. 5.00 People's Theatra. 5.30 A Great Day Out . . . on the river.

Radio 3

7.30 Risb-s-Dub-Tub. For the very

ITV/LONDON

9.25 LWT Information. 9.30 Pm Young But Special. Derek Cooper discusses with Ken Adams the problems of young and behavioural troubles (r).
10.00 Morning Worship from
St Margaret's Church, St
Armss-on-Set. 11.00 Getting
On. Cyril Smith and his mother

and retailing are reviewed. 1.00 The Smuris, 1.30 The Groovy Ghoulies.

The World, the Plean and the Davil. Heythrop College, London and Wycliffe Hall, Oxford, compets in the second semi-final of the theological Council of Churche

province, 4.30 TV Times Star Family Challenge. The first of six programmes in which family teems compete in a fun

by a Scottish loch.

6.48 Mary O'Hars and Friends. The

terrorised by 'phone calls from

screen era turned his attention away from tonsorial matters to movie make-up. His sons have carried on with the craft and at one time a Westmore was in charge of all the top Hollywood make-up departments. Filmed at the Westmore house in Los Angeles, the sole surviving -son, Frank; recalls the tamily throughs. 10.00 Weekend Pisyhouse: Grand Duo, by Frada Keisali. Starring Prunella Scales and Judy

starring Jean Simmons and Cliff Robertson. A crippled wife feets threatened by her husband. Directed by Michael

8.15 Round Britain Quiz, London versus the West of England. 6.45 Persona Grata. Robert Robinson

\$.15 Sir Geraint Evans - Time

tras Ambrican musical rom as original Broadway opening to its current revival in London's West End. With Robert Cushman. 11.06 A new reality. Cecil Lewis in conversation with Joy Harrison, receils the ille and ideas of the chilesponing meetings for stillet.

7.55 Weather, 8.00 News. 8.05 Dvorak Chamber Music: Alban Berg Curartet and Radislav Kvapil (plano) play Waltzes Op 54 Nos 1-

## REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

HTV WEST As London except starts 9.25am The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel, 9.30-10.00 Orphans of the Wild, 11.30-12.00 I'm Young But Special, 1.00 University Chalange, 1.30-2.00 West Country Farming, 3.30-4.30 1983 BMX World Championships, 5.00 At Ease, 5.30-6.30 Falcon Creet, 12.40am Weather close. Weather, close. HTV WALES: No variations.

TSW As London except; starts 9.30-10.00 Getting On and Getting On ... Plus. 11.00 I'm Young But Sepcial, 11,25 Look And Sec. 11,30-12,00 The South West Week, 1,00 Gardens For All, 1,30 Holiday Happenings. 1.59 Cartoon Time. 3.39 University Challenge. 4.00-4.30 Terrahawks. 5.00 Survival: New Hope for the Hangut. 5.30-5.30 The Return of the Saint, 12.40am Postoript. 12.45 Wanther codes

GRAMPIAN As London except: starts, 9.25 The wonderful Stotles of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 Seasame Street, 10.30-11.00 A Working Faith, 11.30-12.00 Fm Young but Special. 1.00 University Challenge, 1.30-2.00 Farming Outlook, 3.30-4.30 Occumentary: On Antartic Summer, 5.2. The Goodles, 5.30 The Fall Guy, 12.40am Reflections, 12.45 Close.

TYNE TEES As London except: Starts, 9.25 Morning Glory, 9.30-16.00 Getting On, 11.00 I'm Young But Special, 11.28 Lookaround, Giory, 3,39-16.00 Gerang Urt. 71,591 in Young But Special, 11,28° Lookaround, 11,30 The Groovic Ghouses, 11,58-12,00 North East News, 1,90 University Challenge, 1,50-2,00 Ferming Outlook, 3,30-4,30 Battlester Galactics, 5,00 The Goodles, 5,30 North East News, 5,32-8,30 Falcon Crest, 12,40em Fantasia on Grannicasias

Lining (1949) starting June Haver. A musical biography of the Broadway star of the Twenties, Marilyn Miller. 5.05 Film: Title's Ponctured Romance" (1914) starring Charle Chaplin. The allent comedy that was Chaplin's first leature-length film and the

CHANNEL 4

2.10 Irish Angle features an RTE programme, Today Tonight which examines why

pharmaceutical process. Ireland are over-priced.

quest this week is former

spectacular disappearance in In Sixties lead to a seven-year

2.35 Questions. Marcel Berlins

Stonehouse whose

3.05 Film: Look for the Silver

Prunella Scales (left) and Judy Parfitt co-star in Freda Kelsali's play Grand Duo (ITV, 10.00 pm)

one which put him family on the road to success. 5.45 Face the Press. Anthony Howard is in the chair and the Rt Hon Roy Hattersley faces questions from Peter Ruddell political editor of the Financial Times, and Sarah Hogg, economics editor of The

6.16 Strumpet City. Episode four of the drams serial set in Dublin at the turn of the century. Tonight's episode sees the death of Miss Gilchrist when she suffers a seizure after

discovering a nurse had been stealing her snuff. 7.15 News summary and weather tollowed by Playing Shakespeare. The first of a new series of nine programmes that promises a complete guide to Shakespeare's verse from the

points of view of the actor. 8.15 Upstairs, Downstairs. The First World War has begun and the Beliamy's are persuaded by the Countess of Berkhamstead to house: Belgian refuges family.

9.15 Father's Day. Comedy series starring John Alderton. The Jarvis family decide that mocracy is the thing and dad's dictum of divide and rule 9.45 Preview: Midnight Feast, by Michael Wilcox. Two sixth

form public school boys take advantage of their housemaster's absence for the right to raid his drinks cabinets. They also find his personal files. 10.15 Middletown: An Introduction. A preview of the American

on this channel each night this 10.35 Film: The Seventh Veit (1945). A tribute to the late James Mason. He plays the sadistic guardian of a concert planist (Ann Todd) whose

documentary series to be seen

hands have been burnt in a car accident. Elsen Joyce is the real planist. 12.20 Closedown

Symphony Orchestra, with Heiga Demesch in the title role. The cast also includes Jane Marsh and Gabriele Sima.<sup>1</sup> 6.45 The Third Secretary's Story: Paul Scotleid reads the short story by Tom Hopkinson (r). 7.30 Prome 84: (see panel),† 9.20 Spohr and Onslow: the

9.20 Spohr and Onstow: the Parkian/Fleming/Roberts Tho perform Spohr's Plane Trio No 2 in F. Op 123; and Onstow's Plane Trio in E flat. Op 14/2.1

10.15 Dynamite Hilt: The American blues singer Major Wiley plays a black garbage collector in Kennetti Robbins's short play. The play is east in 1963. In Kenneth Robbins's short play.
The play is set in 1963, in
Birmingham, Alabama. Also in the
cast: Francis Drake and Blain
Fairman.)
10.40 News. Until 11.18.
Viti only: Open University.
8.86am-7.55 Modern Art: Roger
Fry; 7.15 Children's Books; 7.35
Women (2).

Radio 2

News on the hour (except 8.00 pm).
Headfines: 7.30 am. Major bulletins: 8.00 am and 12.00 midnight (MF/MW).
4.00 Howard Pearce: 1 6.00 Sheila Tracyt including 7.02 Clympic reports: 7.30 Paul MacDowell says Good Morning. 1 including 7.45 Sishop Bill Westwood.
8.00 David Jacobet Including 9.02
Olympic reports: 11.00 Desmond Carrington. 1 12.30 The Grumbleweeds. 1 2.00 Summer Sounds: Clympics: (first day of competition previewed). Cricket: Surrey v Srl Lankan Tourists at the Ovel; plus England's women play New Zealand in the third and final test metch. Goll: (bush Open Champonship at Arrhem). 6.00 Chartle Chester. 7.35
John Lawrenson sings. 7.30 Cricket Scores; Glamorous Nights with Robin Boyle. 8.30 Sunday Hail-Hour from St Peter's Church. Newton, Swanses. 9.05
Your Hundred Best Tunes. 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Songs From The Shows.
11.00 The Terry Wogan Olympic Show.
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CHANNEL As London except starts 1.25 Weather, 1.26 Starting Point, 1.30-2.00 Unit, 3.90 University Challenge. 4.00-4.30
Terrahawks. 5.00 Survivat: New Hope
For the Hangul. 5.30-6.30 Return of the
Saim. 11.00 The Devilin Connection.
12.00 Weather, Close.

TVS As London except starts 9.26-9.30 Farming Brief. 11.30-12.00 Animals in Action. 1.00 Over the Garden Well. 1.30-2.00 Farming Diary. 3.30-4.30 Bring 'Em Back Alive. 5.00-5.30 Survival: Those Craxy Coots. 5.35-6.30 Crips. 12.40em Company, close.

SCOTTISH As London except: 9.25-9.39 Wattoo. 10.00-11.00 Seasame Street. 11.30 Sunday Service. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30-2.06 Farming Outlook 3.30-4.59 Chips. 5.09 The Gootless. 5.30-6.30 Falcon Crest. 12.40am Lete

GRANADA As London exc starts 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.30-10.00 The Greatest Thinkers. 11.00 I'm Young But Special, 11.25 AAP KAA HAK. 11.30-12.00 Down to Earth. 1.00 Lintversity Challenge, 1.30-200 The Adventure: 3.30-4.30 Return of The Saint. 5.00 The Goodles, 5.30-6.30 New Life in The Pool. 12.45am Close.

BORDER As London except starts 9.25 Border Diarry, 9.30-10.00 I'm Young But Special, 11.30-12.00 Farming Outlook, 1.00 Border Diary, 1.95-2.00 Return of the Saint, 3.30 Falcon Crest, 4.25-4.30 Cartoon, 5.00 Bartilestar Galactica, 8.60-6.30 Try For Ten, 12.40em Close.

YORKSHIRE As London except: starts 9,25-10,00 Getting on, 11.00 im Young But Special, 11.30-12.00 Farming Diary, 1.00-2.00 Whiz Kids, 3.30-4.30 The Love Bost. 5.00 Diffrent Stockes, 5.30-6.30 Return of The Saint, 12.40 mm Five Minutes, 12.45 Close.

CENTRAL As London except: start; 9.25 The Wonderful World of Professor Kitzel 9.30-10.00 Farming ;4, 11.30-12.00 I'm Young But Special, 4.00 University Challenge, 1.30-2.06 Gerdening Time, 3.30-4.30 Return of The Saint, 12.40

2 10th RAPE

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Hasiemere Festival, in Surrey. With Ken Livingstone, Lord Marsh, John Mortimer, Clare Francis and David Jacobs. (r). Francis and David Jacobs. (r).

2.00 News.

2.05 Atternoon Thesine (s/binsurei).

"Requient" by Berlie Doherty.

The settings a convent school in the 1950's. With Moir Lesite (r).

3.00 News; The Jason Explanation of Religion with David Jason.

3.30 Not Exactly in His Footsteps. Struches ground England by Ray Gosling (5). "Forever Ambridge???" Ambridge???"
4.15 Two Girls in the Forest. Two

4.15 Two Girls in the Forest. Two women (Edna Healey and Whitred Foley) who played separately in the Forest of Dean as children, retrace their paths through the forest that led them to their unexpected destinies.
4.45 More Wasstling than Dancing-David Moreau recollects his largely unsuccessful attempts to come to grips with life (5).
"Beldinest Be My Friend."
5.00 PM: Wildlife.
5.25 Week Ending. Satrical review, 15.50 Shipping. 5.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News.

BBC 1 6.05 London and Scotland: Sport; South West (Plymouth): Spotlight Sport; All other English Regions: Sport/Regional News; Walser: Sports News Wales; Northern Instand: Northern Ireland News and

Robinson, Laurie Taylor, Edward

6.00 News; Sports Round-up. 6.25 Desert island Discs. The

castaway is Sir Alfred Ayer.†
7.05 Stop the Week with Robert

S4C 2.10 A Primer for Pina. 2.55 S4C 2,19 A Primer for Pins. 2,56 Cervanias. 3,50 Questions. 4,20 Film: Union Pacific (Joel McCres). 5,40 Wayton Jennings in Concert. 7,35 Newyddion. 7,45 Newydd Bob Nos. 8,15 Rhuisen Glas. 8,55 Callan. 9,55 Film: Cash On Demand (Peter Cushing). 11,15 Film: W (Twiggy). 12,55 Closs.

HTV WEST As London except: Starts \$.25-\$.30 The wonderful stories of Professor Kitzel. \$.05-\$.00 Chips. 12.30 Weather, close. HTV WALES: No variation.

ANGLIA As London except: 12.50em At the End of the

CENTRAL As London except
Starts 9.25 The Great
Cartoon Stars, 8.35-10.30 Standby,
Camera, Lights, Action, 5.05-5.00 Chips.
12.30 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE As London except starts. 9.25 Weether followed by Casper The Friendly Ghost. 9.35 Joe 90. 10.00-10.30 University Challenge. 6.05-6.00 QED: Closedown.

TYNE TEES As London except: Starts 9.25 Morning Giory, 9.30 Father Murphy, 10.25 TT Time, 5,10pm Chips, 12.30em Poets' GRAMPIAN As London except Starts 8.30 A formath Duthelch, 10.00-10.30 The Smurts, 5.05-8.00 Chips, 12.30 Reflections, 12.35 CHANNEL As London except: starts 9.25 The: Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 Thunderbirds. 10.20-10.30 Puffin's Pin(jos. 5.05per Puffin's Pin(jos. 12.30 Manther Channel

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GRANADA As London except starts. 9.26 The starts. 9.26 The wonderful Stories Of Professor Kitzel. 9.35 Secrets Of The Coast. 10.65 Mart. and Jenny on the Wilderness Trail. 5.05 Chips. 12.30am Hawaii Five-O. 1.25 Closedown.

TSW As London except 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 Freeze Frame, 10.27 Gus Honeybun's Magic Birthdays, 12.30am Postscript, 12.35 Weather, close.

WHAT THE SYMBOLS MEAN -

SCOTTISH As London except Starts 9.25 Angel Romero, 9.30 A formach Duthelon, 9.56 Sally and Jake, 18.05-19.30 Happy Days, 12.36 Late Call, 12.35 Close. m People Like Us, close.

## shaikh By Stewart Tendler

An American businessman convicted of an arms offence in London last year has now been charged in Washington with attemption attempting to smuggle a machine gun into Britain to assassinate a member of the Saudi royal family. A Saudi businessman has also been

Mr Walter Reed Martindale, aged 41, has been accused of going to London last year to kill Shaikh Mohammad Al-Fassi, an often controversial member of the Saudi second for the Sau of the Saudi royal family. Mr Ibrahim Al-Rawaf, a Saudi businessman, is accused of offering \$40,000 (£30,000) to the American to carry out the

Mr Martindale, a former member of the State Department's Agency for International Development in Vietnam, at

In November he was fined £1,600 at Horseferry Road Magistrates Court after an Uzi sub-machine gun and a Smith and Wesson revolver were discovered in a case left with a former Vietnamese soldier.

The refugee living in north London, told police that Mr Martindale had asked him to keep watch on a man about whom he was given information and photographs. After being left with the case, the refugee called the police.

#### Airman cleared of passing Nato secrets

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Jaafar, aged 31, whom he met in Cyprus. Mrs Jaafar, Hunga-rian by birth and married to a Lebanese, was alleged to have extracted secrets with sex or threats to reveal the relation-

The Crown case was based on confessions the airman was said to have made to RAF police initially investigating fliefts and in a letter he wrote to his mother which was inter-

This week Mrs Jaafar defended the airman and her reputation. She gave evidence and was cross examined for more than three hours,

# Hollywood's odd man out dies

opposite Judy Garland as an

ector lapsing into alcoholism.

In later life, married for the second time to the Australian

ctress Clarissa Kaye, and

living in Switzerland, he was

damning about certain Holly-wood stars.

roles was the love-struck Humbert Humbert in Stanley

Kubrick's Lolita. More recently

**Decree.** 

won great critical applause his Dr Watson in Murder

In spite of his frequently

sadistic film roles, James Mason was a pacifist, and

objector in the Second World

War; he abhorred cruelty to

His first marriage was in 1946 to Pamela Kellino, by whom he had two children.

role in *Dr Fischer of Geneva*, by Graham Greene. As a special

tribute, Channel Four is to

show the Seventh Veil this Sunday in place of Dante's

This autumn he can be seen

ristered as a conscie

outstanding film

By Rupert Morris

Having acquired a substantial female following in his early films, James Mason failed to James Mason was better looking than most Hollywood become a front-rank star, and began to distance himself from stars, he was British and he had the Hollywood ethos. But like Basil Rathbone, whose fate it was to be repeatedly killed by Errol Flynn, he found that his His growing disillusion with Hollywood and the star system coincided with one of his best films: George Cukor's A Star Is Born, in 1954, where he played contains Ind.

He seemed too smooth, not only in his usually well-groomed

way of speaking. Born in Huddersfield, the third son of a cloth merchant, he

living up to.
On film, however, his dark good looks and elegantly liquid voice combined to give him an air of menace that marked him out as the perfect villain.

He made his name after the Second World War in films where he combined a magnetic onality with a cruel streak. one time worked in the Far East on refugee problems.

In November he was fined wood, and in The Seventh Veil he used his cane to smash the fingers of Ann Todd, the concert

Although apparently well qualified to play a British wartime hero, he became famous for his portrayal of Rommel in *The Desert Fox.* 





A buccaneer in Lord Jim (left) and Dr Watson



James Mason on a visit to London



A distraught moment in Odd Man Out

# Fury at Europe's budget challenge

Continued from page 1

The Strasbourg decision provoked choleric sounds both in Whitehall and at Westminster, and dispelled the pale sunshine that the Prime Minister brought back from Fontai-

nebleau a month 2go. Mr Rippon, the senior Conservative European at West-minster, said the new European Parliament was off to a wretched start in undermining the progress made at Fontainb-leau. "In the process it wrecks its own prospects of achieving any real influence or authority the years immediately

The Government's hard line was roundly condemned by Mr Robin Cook, Labour's spokes-man on European affairs.

He called on the Prime Minister to do two things withhold British contributions to the Community to make up the rebate, and challenge the legality of the Parliament's decision in the European Court.
In ministers' breasts yesterday indignation seemed to vie for expression with apparently confident claims that the rebate is sure to be paid sooner or

later. Criticism was carefully di-rected away from other member countries' governments, all of whom were pledged to make the payment, and against the Parliament alone, Mr Dankert, in failing to sign authorization of the payment as president of the Parliament, was accused privately by British officials of remarkable carelessness or, more probably, ill-will. Mr Rifkind, speaking on BBC

radio, said the president and some members of the Parliament had abused their own procedures. The Parliament had behaved in an intolerable way, but all the member governments had so far honoured their

Asked if the Parliament's behaviour was lawful, he said it was obviously something which must be looked at. Something might be technically legal but quite contrary to all the basic rules of natural justice.

If there was advice that the Parliament had contravened the Treaty of Rome or its legal obligations, taking it to the European Court would be an

Letter from Warsaw

Taking liberties with freedom

the name of pleasure, George Orwell once remarked, represents a more or less successful attempt to destroy con-sciousness. Down in Praga. the thieves' kitchen of Warsaw, they take that kind of advice very seriously indeed. Happiness is a bottle of Vyborowa Vodka; oblivion is just around the corner.

The celebrations have been going on non-stop in the long courtyards and the maze of streets around the Bazaar Rozyckiego as the main beneficiaries of last weekend's amnesty gather to celebrate their good fortune. Most of the criminal crafts are represented: the muggers, the getaway drivers, the safe crackers, the burglars, the look-outs, the messengers and the receivers.

Forty per cent of the Polish prison population has been freed some 35,000 common criminals. The murderers have generally been kept inside, as have gang rapists but, as a Justice Ministry spokesman has delicately expressed it, the odd lucky individual rapist has been

The alcohol may be flowing in Praga, but across the Vistula in the more comfortable suburbs of Mokotow and Zoliborz there is fear in the air. Residents have been installing window grilles and the local newspaper Zycie Warszawy is doing a fast trade in classified ads for burglar alarms. Private entrepreneurs are offering to install complete security systems in villas and even sensitive intellectuals can be seen huddled in the corner of cocktail parties discussing the price of Alsatian dogs.

The amnesty, of course, also freed the country's political prisoners but, as the neighbour of a colleague said this week, "It's not going to be Jacek Kuron breaking into our house, is it?" The Polish crime rate is still below that of the US or Britain, but there are disturbing trends.

Despite martial law, the number of crimes, especially violent ones, has been increas-ing. In 1982 there were 250 murders; last year there were 304. The legal weekly *Prawo I*Zycie (Law and Life) gives us
the details of the cases and

Almost everything going by spares not a drop of blood nor severed limb. A young woman recently battered her nagging mother to death with a frying pan, dragged her into the bathroom, cut the body into small, manageable fragments, put the pieces into a travelling bag and left it on the balcony

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bag and left it on the carcony for a few weeks. Rapes have also become more frequent 871 in 1982 but 1,055 in 1983. The overall number of crimes a year has now reached 466,000, a jump of 30,000 over 1982. But most of this increase has come from the wave of burgiaries and thefts. As the zloty has lost its value, so both organized and casual gangs have been working out ways of stealing Western currency or precious objects.

One obvious method is to comb through the "for sale" columns of local newspapers. pinpoint a likely target and pretend to be a potential customer. A woman who advertised a fur coat for sale was killed in this way not so long ago. In the Mazury lake district gangs of teenagers break into dachas and week-end cottages which are empty for much of the autumn and The penal code has been

tightened up since martial law was declared in December 1981, and not just for likely political offenders. An antiparasitism law is supposed to give the police power to register and ultimately send to forced labour units any ablebodied male without a stamp from his employer in his identity card. The result has been twofold.

first there is now an active black market trade in false employment papers and sec-ondly women, exempt from the law, are more active in the criminal community.

Lawyers are sometimes quoted in the official press as saying that the crime wave stems from the breakdown in authority that came with the Solidarity revolution in 1980-81. Solidarity sympathizers say that the police have been too busy chasing their own shadows, trying to "detect" political offenders.

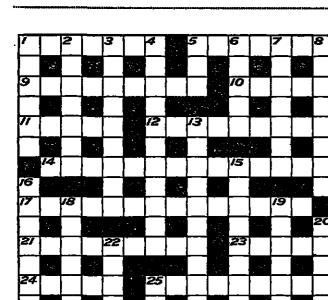
In Praga, they have no theories at all: only swagbags waiting to be filled just as soon as those hangovers wear off.

**Roger Boves** 

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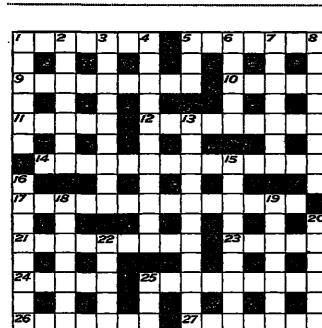
- for engraver (7).
- 9 Very surprised at various times 10 Preoccupation of slim girl
- 11 Repel boarders from the Victory 12 Former class includes one, it's
- clear (9). 14 Where skeleton key led to big 17 Party leader as regular presenter
- of bill (8-6).
- 21 Is material endlessly processed 16 in this plant? (9).
  23 Fabric in vehicle leaving
- Northern town (5).

  Money, commonly with a hole in it (5).
- 25 "The accursed power which stands on —" (Belloc) (9).
  26 Cuts out some unspecified part

The Times Crossword Puzzle No 16,494

A prize of The Times Atlas of the World (comprchensive edition) will be given for the first three correct solutions opened next Thursday. Entries should be addressed to: The Times. Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 9YT. The winners and solution will be published next Saturday. The winners of last Saturday's competition are:

Mrs D. C. Tutton. Woodend Cottage, Awre, Newsham, Gloucester, GL14 IEP; M. D. Bakes. 139 Burgest Road, Southampton; Mrs D. E. Ingham, 56 Chantry Road, Moseley, Birmingham,



- 1 Take too many paintings? Hard 5 Artist gets small amount in fierce competition (3,4).
- word (6). Alpine flower (7). Correct cards one plays after this opponent (5-4). Household troops mount sentries (5,6).
  One who fishes for perch (3).
  Book such as "Lord Jim" (5).
  Bail out a scholar associated unitially (5).
  - with scores of thieves (3,4). Intellectuals given the chop on the board? (8).

1 Deceives a number – sharp's the

- 13 Masterful in charge of course (11).
  Insignificant and minute? (5-4).
  Parisian is swallowing vessel's contents with French delicacy
- (8). 18 Naive as Eliza's view of Higgins. say (7). 19 Records top ten, including one
- British sculptor (7).
  20 Man to tolerate Kipling's less 26 Cuts out some unspecified part of Italy (7).
  27 Painstaking collector is, in 25 Impertinently investigate odd members of party (3).

**CONCISE CROSSWORD PAGE 16** 

### Today's events

New exhibitions

Paintings by Andrew Maclaren,
Linton Court Gallery, Duke St,
Settle, N Yorks, Tues, Fri and Sat
Il to 5, Sun 2 to 5, (ends Aug 26).
Action portraits, Scottish Press
Photographs, Maclaurin Art Gallery, Rozelle Park, Ayr, Mon to Sat
Il to 5, Sun 2 to 5, (ends Aug 25).
Stitches in time, golden jubilee of
the Yorkshire branch of the
Embroiderers' Guild, Cliffe Castle,
Spring Gdns Lane, Keighley: Tues

Spring Gdns Lane, Keighley, Thes to Sun 10 to 6, (ends Sept 9).

Norwich "20" Group, Halesworth Gallery, Steeple End, Halesworth, Suffolic, Mon to Sat 11 to 5, Sun 3 to 6, (ends Ang 10).

Sun 3 to 6, (ends Aug 10).

Prints and drawings by Sickert and his comtemporaries, Cartwright Hall, Lister Park, Bradford; Tues to Sun 10 to 6, (ends Sept 30).

Julia Margaret Cameron 1815-1879, Mappin Art Gallery, Weston Park, Sheffield; Mon to Sat 10 to 8; Sept, Mon to Sat 10 to 5, Sun 2 to 5, (ends Sept 2).

Music Concert by Hallé Orchestra Soloists, Richard and Janet Simp-son (oboe and harpsichord), St John's Church, Hipswell, Catterick

Talk The Winchester Benedictines and their books, by Murray Davison, New Hall, Winchester, 2.30.

General Cleveland County Agricultural and Horticultural Show, Stewart Park, Ludgate Lane, Middles-borough, 9. Brighton Racecourse Antiques

Tomorrow

Music Vale Royal Singers, Liverpool Anglican Cathedral, 8.00pm. Chapeltown Silver Prize Band, Weston Park, Sheffield, 3pm.

General Dawlish Regatta, Sea Front, Devon.

Elephant Fayre, Port Elliot Estate,
St Germans, Saltash, Cornwall, 11.

Bristol Harbour Regatta, City

Docks, 12 to 6.

British Motorcross Champion-ships, Higher Recombe, nr Torquay, Devon, 1. Shuttleworth Collection Military Air Pageant, Old Warden Aero-drome, Biggleswade, Beds; 11.

Anniversaries

Births: Gerard Manley Hopkins, Stratford, Essex, 1844; Beatrix Potter, London, 1866; Marcel Duchamp, artist, Blainville, France 1887. Deaths: Thomas Cromwell, Earl of Essex, executed, Tower Hill, Earl of Essex, executed, Tower Hill, London. 1540; Abraham Cowley, poet, Chertsey, Surrey, 1667; Antonio Vivaldi, Venice, 1741; Johann Sebastian Bach, Leipzig, 1750; Maximilian de Robespierre, executed, Paris, 1794; Otto Haha, chemist, pioneer of nuclear fission, Nobel Laureate 1944; Göttingen Germany 1968 Sir Göttingen, Germany, 1968, Sir Moses Monteflore, Ramsgate, 1885. TOMORROW Births: Alexis Charles

Tocqueville, historian, author Democracy in America, Paris, 1805. Deaths: William Wilberforce, London, 1833; Robert Schumann,

Endeurich, Germany, 1856; Vincent van Gogh, committed suicide, Auvers-sur-Lise, 1890; Gordon Craig, actor, director and designer,

Venice, 1966. The Spanish Armada was routed, 1588.

# This is a good time to root

In the garden

use semi ripe shoots, preferably with a "heel": that is a piece of the old wood still attached to the base of a side shoot when it is pulled off the main stem. Trim off the silver of

bark, dip the base of the cutting in a rooting compound and insert in pots or boxes as above, or in a shaded cold frame.

Cuttings of heathers about 2in long root well now. So do those of brooms - varieties of cytisus and genista, but it is wise to take several batches of cuttings at say 7 to 10 day intervals. If they are too soft (young) they may rot, if they are too hard they may take many weeks to root.

Gardens open



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Roads

District.
Societad: Glasgow: Glasgow Fair ands this weekend, dopact heavy traffic on all routes into Glasgow particularly A74 and A77 from Ayr. A7: Editoturgh to Carlele road, congestion Belly because of the Langholm Common Riding (local cambred). A9/ABS: Avoid these routes and Stifring tonorrow as a helf marashon takes place. A8: Expect congestion and heavy traffic at Aviennore because of Aviennore rightland Games.

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Colerates, and Port Rush, anding in Port Rush at 4pm.
Continents: Present: This is the busiest weekend on the French roads. Roadworks could delay you between Cates and Parts on the A1 at Feutiers, near Peronne, on the A5 between Dign and Lyon at Cration-sur-Secret and at Tournus, Paris boulevard peripherique (ring road) is being repaired.

Gains and losses For any readers who may

have been unable to obtain a copy of The Times this week, we list below the week's Portfolio price changes (today's are on page 26). 1 +3 +2 +2 +4 +1 2 +3 -1 +3 +5 +1 3 +1 +1 +3 +2 +2 4 +4 +1 +2 +4 +1



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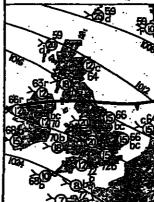
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# Weather

NOON TODAY



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TODAY Lendon 9.25 pm to 4.50 am Edinburgh 9.59 pm to 4.42 am Hanchester 9.42 pm to 4.50 am Passance 9.41 pm to 5.17 am

TOMORROW London 9,23 pm to 4,51 am Edition 9.33 pm to 5.01 am Editionings 9.56 pm to 4.43 am Manchester 9.40 pm to 4.51 am Penzance 9.30 pm to 5.18 am Yesterday

Temperatures at midday yesterday; c, cloud; f, lair; r, rain; s, sun.

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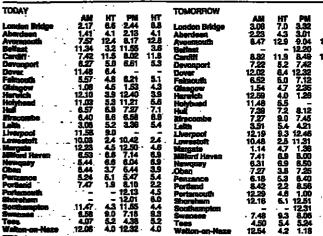
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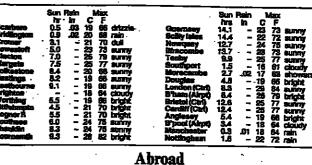
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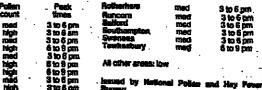
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